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MOVEMENT STARTED TO BUILD A CITY HOSPITAL, COSTING $100,000, HERE

If present plans materialize McKinney before many weeks will have begun work on a modern and up-to-date hospital.

President W. A. Dowell and Secretary C. W. Smith of the McKinney Business Men's Association have been diligently at work the past few days working out and devising plans for the securing of such an institution.

Every citizen in McKinney has long realized the great need of a city hospital in McKinney. It has not yet been decided whether the hospital will be erected by a popular subscription or whether a bond issue will be voted to erect such an institution.

That McKinney needs a modern and up-to-date hospital no one will for a moment doubt. President W. A. Dowell, seeing the great need existing for a hospital, met with a number of the prominent business men and capitalists in the Business Men's Association Monday afternoon and all championed this worthy movement and vied with the other to enter actively into the matter and secure this hospital for McKinney.

The hospital will be solely a McKinney institution, but when built will be open to the entire public—not only of McKinney, Collin county and Texas, but to persons of other states should they decide to bring relatives or loved ones to McKinney and place in the hospital for treatment and care. Hundreds of persons of Collin county are patients in sanitariums and hospitals at various places in the state and United States yearly. With a hospital such as is contemplated to be erected in McKinney, the best facilities for operations and treatment of patients will be available in McKinney. No city in Texas has more able, efficient and capable physicians than has McKinney. Many times local McKinney physicians are forced to take their patients to other towns in order to get hospital facilities which McKinney has thus far been unable to afford.

The new proposed hospital will cost at least $100,000 and should plans work out and it be erected as is expected they will, the hospital will be second to none to be found in any town McKinney's size in the Southwest.

McKinney is a progressive city, inhabited by a progressive and wide-awake citizenship; McKinney is no longer considered a country town, but has long since taken on city proportions and is forging to the front with much rapidity. McKinney has all the modern conveniences enjoyed by any of the larger cities. But McKinney has always been behind other towns, some much smaller, in having hospital facilities for the care of her sick. Such a hospital as the one proposed for McKinney will be a wonderful addition to the city. Every citizen in McKinney is urged by President Dowell and Secretary Smith to speak an encouraging word for this proposed institution so that when the proper time comes for action that there may be none unacquainted with the facts—that is the great need of such a hospital.

DAMAGING HIS WHEAT.

Public Thoughtlessly Trample Down Crop To See Airplanes.

Goodney Graves, who has the Waddill land rented just north of Mrs. John Church's residence, states that his wheat crop on the same is being damaged by thoughtless people trampling over his field every time an airship lights in it. Mr. Graves states that he permitted airplanes to land free in his field during the progress of the war, but the war is over now and his wheat will soon be ready to harvest and people running through it is causing much unnecessary damage to his crop. He hopes that the public will be more thoughtful hereafter and keep out of his field. Airplanes are welcome to land on his bermuda pasture land, but he will be glad if they keep from landing in his wheat field if possible.

BIG HAIL CAME YEAR AGO SUNDAY.

The threatening cloud in the west Sunday just prior to the heavy downpour of rain, reminded many that it was just a year ago May 11th, that the destructive hail visited Collin county doing thousands of dollars worth of damage. The cloud Sunday for awhile resembled a hail cloud and many feared destructive results, but only a heavy rain fell.

SHADY BROOK DAIRY WILL HAVE NEW BARN.

The Shady Brook Dairy, just a mile and a half west of the city, owned by Mr. Frank Wire, is being thoroughly over hauled and a first-class dairy barn being built. All the buildings on the place will be repainted. Mr. Wire certainly knows his business and is progressive all along the line.

HAS SHIPPED FOUR CARS FAT CALVES TO THE MARKETS

J. W. (Willis) Rasor, of near Plano accompanied by his wife, was in McKinney Saturday on business. He says crops are looking fine. He has over 200 acres of wheat that looks most promising.

Mr. Rasor has already shipped four cars of fat calves to the Fort Worth market this spring and will soon ship a car load of fat hogs.

Mr. Rasor has some of the very best registered short horn cattle. He He bought two exceptionally fine cows at the last Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth. He sold three nice short horn cows in the auction sale held in McKinney in March.

Mr. Rasor is first vice-president of the Collin County Purebred Livestock Association and is one of the committeemen in charge of the big livestock show of the Collin County fair to be held in McKinney this fall.

EXPRESSION CLASS PRESENTED IN PLAY BY MISS DOWELL

What is declared to have been a most successful presentation of "The Betty Wales Girls and Mr. Kidd" by Miss Mamie Dowell's junior expression class, was given at the Boyd High school auditorium Friday evening to an appreciative audience. The play, which is based on the Betty Wales books, popular with girls all over the country, was given striking delineation by the cast which drew frequent and hearty applause from the audience. The cast of characters included:

Betty Wales, Mary Wilcox.
Helen Chase Adams, Lucile Wilson.
Madaline Ayres, Ruby Dunn.
Mary Brooks, Velma Aycock.
Bobbie Hildreth, Bob Parker and Babe Henderson, The Three B's, Sallie B. Couch, Lurline Brown and Clelia Mallow.
Roberta Lewis, Margaret Couch.
Miss Pricilla Hicks, Rena Kimbriel.
Georgiana Ames, Minnie Aycock.
The Real Georgia Ames, Margaret Couch.

James Roundtree and Earl Walker gave readings and Aure Hill acquitted himself with honors with an oration. Chandler Atkinson gave a character sketch.

The work of Miss Dowell in McKinney among the young people has been of great value and has resulted in the development of much rare talent. But few expression instructors have attained the success with which her efforts have met. Perhaps one of the chief reasons which may be attributed to her unusual success in this field is her love of the work, her energy and her enthusiasm, but most of all her own talent which has enabled her to inspire the young people to strive for such perfection as they see in their instructor. Ever willing to lend her assistance in the success of entertainment programs Miss Dowell has always gladly assisted in perfecting them besides adding to them by her own renditions. The city is fortunate in having such talent as is found in Miss Dowell and that she is appreciated is manifested by the patronage and encouragement she receives and the receptions given her whenever and wherever she appears on program.

BAPTIST WOMEN ELECT OFFICERS

Mrs. R. C. Fortner of Plano was chosen president of the Baptist Women Missionary Workers at the annual conference which was concluded Thursday evening. Mrs. Allene Mendenhall of Plano was named secretary and Mrs. R. E. Bell of Seymour, recording secretary. Wichita Falls was elected for the next meeting which will be held in May, 1920.

NEW CONFECTIONERY OPENS MAY 17TH

Craus & Dowd have already opened their new confectionery to the trade, but the repair work and installation of new fixtures is in full progress. The main opening of the new business will be about May 17th so Mr. Dowd states. The new fountain has already been installed and the trade is being served now. When all the work has been completed this will be one of the most attractive confectionery stores in this section of the state.

T. M. Renfroe of Copeville went to Farmersville, got interested in the war tank which was on exhibition there, and climbing on it, he fell and broke both arms.

WOOL GROWERS TO POOL CLIPS; BIG SALE JUNE 7

A very successful meeting was held of the Collin county sheep raisers Friday afternoon with an unusual attendance, and a splendid representation of the leading sheep men. These men came prepared for business action and after the meeting was called to order it took only a short time for them to perfect plans for concentrating the wool of the county for a sale to be held Saturday, June 7th. A live sheep raisers association was also organized which will perpetuate a stronger interest in the sheep industry and a means of assisting every sheep man in Collin county through its organized efforts.

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Officers Chosen.

Officers were elected as follows: L. F. Arnold of Rhea Mills, president; Ed McGee of McKinney vice president; Henry Barlow of Prosper, secretary and treasurer. The executive committee was appointed by the president with Dr. A. T. Bryant as chairman and Capt. J. F. Rhea, J. W. Shepard, and Henry Barlow as the committee. These men are sheep men down to the bottom of their hearts and the association should do a great work with these men as the leaders.

M. W. Call, the government sheep specialist, gave a very beneficial discussion relative to the present wool market and good prospects for a fair price if sold in concentrated lots. He said that a large amount will attract buyers who will pay more for the wool because of getting a large amount. He outlined the plan for the concentration of the wool and the most attractive way to prepare the wool for the buyers, which the association adopted to follow.

In order to get the greatest possible price for the wool the association decided to advise every one who enters the pool to follow the suggestions in preparing their wool as far as possible.

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Plan Adopted.

1. Wool should be clipped so as to keep it free as possible from dirt and trash and folded in separate fleeces with the cut outside. Cotton twine should be used to tie up each fleece, but in no case should binder twine or bailing wire be used.

2. Slightly burred wool and wool too burry should be sacked in separate sacks; tags should also be cut off and sacked in separate sacks.

3. Black fleece should also be sacked in separate sacks, and if sufficient wool is had by the growers lamb wool and buck wool should be separately sacked.

4. Wool to be sacked in wool sacks 6 to 7 foot sacks, which can be ordered through W. E. Ditto of McKinney.

The association voted that an invitation be given all of the sheep men of the county to join the association and to concentrate their wool with the pool. All sheep men are therefore invited to bring their wool. The dates for the concentration were set for June 3rd and 4th on which dates only the wool will be accepted to be stored for the sale June 7th. By having the wool concentrated in two days much labor will be eliminated in handling and expense of weigher made less.

J. P. Crouch, with the spirit of one of the leading sheep men, offered his warehouse to the Association for storing the wool, thus eliminating the big expense of the sale. The expense to each consignor of wool will be very moderate because the only expense will be the insurance and the labor expense to weigh and store the wool. Each consignor will stand his pro rata of expenses of the concentration, which will be only a few cents.

The wool will be sold to the buyers on individual merit so that each consignor in the sale will receive his individual price for his wool. Each wool buyer is to bid on the entire lot and the bids made known to the Association, after which the highest bidder on the entire lot will be given the privilege to take all of the wool. This plan gives the buyers an incentive to bid and come after large amounts.

50,000 Pounds Expected.

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It is estimated that approximately 50,000 pounds of wool will be concentrated for the sale, and if all of the county wool is concentrated a great deal more is expected.

The Association will use influence with representatives, senators and governor during next called session in June to get adequate dog tax bill enacted.

At the close of the meeting G. W. Orms, the district agent with the Extension Service, told the association in a brief talk the big future in store for the livestock farmers and stressed the diversification of crops as the secret of successful agriculture.

PROPRIETARY STAMPS FOR MERCHANTS

Postmaster N. A. Burton calls attention of the merchants to the fact that there is a distinct difference in the revenue stamps to be used on articles of merchandise and those to be used on documents. There is a regular proprietary revenue stamp for articles of merchandise. Mr. Burton says the postoffice has a full supply of the proprietary stamps as well as the documentary stamps, the latter for use on notes, deeds, etc. He merely calls attention to this difference in order to save time and trouble and expense to merchants. The documentary stamps cannot be used on merchandise at all.

COLLIN COUNTY V LOAN QUOTA SHORT $163,700

Practically complete reports have been received by County Judge R. L. Moulden of the results of the Victory Loan campaign in Collin county, which indicate that the county has subscribed for $1,263,900.00 of its quota of $1,427,600.00, leaving the county short $163,700, of its quota, an undersubscription for the first time in the history of the Liberty Loan campaigns here. However, the first loan was slightly undersubscribed, but the other three were handsomely oversubscribed and the county had an enviable record in previous war loan campaigns, Judge Moulden said.

Complete reports from all distsricts follow:

Place—	Quota	Sub. scriptions
Allen	44,057	45,050
Altoga	10,733	10,750
Anna	35,782	35,800
Blue Ridge	38,220	50,000
Celina	143,184	78,100
Copeville	8,538	3,000
Farmersville	172,170	122,100
Frisco	71,956	43,350
Josephine	22,050	22,050
Lavon	8,187	8,200
McKinney	475,966	476,300
Melissa	41,890	45,300
Murphy	9,800	4,500
Nevada	26,593	27,600
Plano	115,609	118,000
Princeton	37,265	11,000
Prosper	32,664	33,700
Renner	6,354	6,550
Westminster	19,077	19,100
Weston	13,602	13,600
Wylie	86,338	86,350
Pike	4,000	4,500

ASH GROVE GIRLS' CANNING CLUB TO GIVE BOX SUPPER

Miss Viola Poole, home demonstration agent for Collin county, announces that the girls canning club of Ash Grove, six miles north of McKinney, will give a box supper at the school house there tomorrow (Thursday) night for the purpose of raising funds for the purchase of a steam pressure canner for the community. The girls will prepare the boxes which will be auctioned off and the men and boys of the community are expected to pay good prices for them. Miss Poole is finding the box supper plan a splendid and popular way to obtain the necessary money to buy these steam canners which will do much toward helping preserve fruit and vegetables raised in the county. Miss Poole has conducted several successful box suppers in the county recently at Blue Ridge, Alla, Chambersville and Princeton.

Community box suppers are planned to be held within the next two weeks at Lebanon, Wetsel, Rock Hill, Melissa and Verona.

Miss Poole will be accompanied by Mrs. J. L. Lovejoy to the Alla school near Celina, Friday, to attend the closing exercises of that school and they will organize a mothers club in the Alla community. Both will take part in the program which is planned. An all-day picnic will be held and an appropriate program will be rendered at the Rock Hill school Saturday.

Anybody from McKinney who desires to attend the box supper at Ash Grove Thursday night are cordially invited.

GIRL KNOCKED DOWN AND INJURED BY AUTOMOBILE.

Miss Kathleen Chrisman, 15 years old, daughter of Mrs. W. T. Chrisman, 138 North Beckley avenue was seriously injured when an automobile knocked her down and ran over her as she stepped off a street car at Beckley and Bishop Avenues at 6:30 o'clock yesterday evening. She was taken to her home, where it was said last night her back was wrenched and her legs badly bruised. Miss Chrisman, who is one of the young violin soloists of the city, is a daughter of the late Dr. W. T. Chrisman, who was state veterinarian for several years.—Sunday's Dallas News.

Miss Kathleen often visits at the home of Senator and Mrs. Tom W. Perkins here where she has scores of friends who admire her pretty face, beautiful character and sweet disposition, all of whom regret to learn of her misfortune, and hope that her injuries are only slight.

Cal Haworth Here.

W. C. (Cal) Haworth is greeting friends here from near Mesquite, Dallas county, where he moved with the beginning of the new year, engaging in the general mercantile business. He made us a pleasant business visit, stating that he was doing well, and he and his family were well pleased with their new home. Cal Haworth is a splendid citizen and we are always glad to shake his friendly hand. Come in and see us often.

Mesdames E. L. Burton, W. C. Ball, Jno. Chandler, Frank Emerson, W. D. Thompson, Adam Bond and Wallace Hughston attended the centenary dinner at Plano Friday.

Mesdames A. D. Stelzer, Boyd, Clack, Myers, and W. S. Stagner of Celina, all attended the Baptist convention in McKinney Thursday.

SEN. WESTBROOK TO SPEAK IN M'KINNEY MAY 17

State Senator Ed Westbrook has written to County Chairman J. L. Franklin, of the Pro Amendment campaign committee that he will speak at the court house in McKinney Saturday May 17th in support of the prohibition and the woman suffrage amendments. Senator Westbrook had an appointment to speak in McKinney on May 3rd but had to cancel the same on account of a call session of the legislature which convened in Austin May 5th which required his presence there. Senator Westbrook represents the counties of Collin, Hunt and Rains in the State Senate and is a consistent and effective advocate of woman suffrage, State-wide prohibition and other issues affecting pure government, better morals and a higher plane of political and economic conditions in Texas. He is a good speaker and will be heard by a large audience of voters in the occasion of his visit to McKinney on the above mentioned date, May 17th.

FOSTER'S WEATHER BULLETIN

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Washington, D. C., May 15.—Last bulletin gave forecasts of warm waves to cross continent May 17 to 22 and 22 to 26, storm wave 18 to 23 and 23 to 27, cool waves 19 to 24 and 24 to 28. This period of weather events will bring a warm spell of quite weather not much rain. The last storm will be of greater force than the first and will develope severe storms in eastern sections and on Pacific coast. Not much rain on Pacific slope and Atlantic coast near May 27. Great fall in temperatures will occur following the storm wave to cross continent May 23 to 27.

Next warm wave will reach Vancouver about May 28 and temperatures will rise on all the Pacific slope. It will cross crest of Rockies by close of May 29, plains sections 30 meridian 90, great lakes, middle Gulf states Ohio-Tennessee valleys 31, eastern sections June 1, reaching vicinity of Newfoundland about June 2. Storm wave will follow about one day behind warm wave and cool wave about one day behind storm wave.

This will be more severe than the average storms and will include two cold waves in northern sections where the last of the Spring frosts will occur about that time. Rains will increase following this storm.

A great weather event will occur first part of June that will affect cropweather during next five or six months. About middle of June rains will occur that will bring on good cropweather in all the States east of the Rockies and improve cropweather in Canada east of Rockies for June. Forecasts for July are not included in above; only June is included. High temperatures will prevail from June 7 to 26 and crops will progress rapidly. Three principal storms will affect crops east of Rockies near June 1, 14 and 28. Coolest weather will be near June 5 and 30.

General peace is near and with it business will return to its natural channels, but not to low prices. Labor and agriculture will sure secure better opportunities and before-the-war prices have gone never to return. We are under a new and better system of finance, not so favorable to financial panics and legal robberies as was the old system. The big profiteers continue in business and are yet to be disciplined. The Chicago and New York Boards of Trade, where market prices are manipulated, are the principal business features to be regulated.

17. Atoms are neutral, being formed of positive and negative electrons. These negative atoms are called ions when a positive electron revolves around them. When more than one positive electron revolves around the atom the combination is a gas molecule and the name of the gas depends on the number of electrons revolving around the atom. These various gases constitute the food of plants. Plant food all comes from the atmospheric gases, except that which is evaporated, or electrolyzed from the ground. All matter that is building into the rocks, soil, clay and metals of Earth, comes from vegetation, except a very small part that falls to Earth as meteors. All bodies—suns, moons, planets—are growing. Our Sun and all the stars are moving around the center of the Milky Way, our Sun making the revolution in 25,670 years. Their motion is in a spiral around the Milky Way like a vine climbing a pole and they are slowly approaching the great northern Coal Sack, into which they will finally plunge and become a part of. If life continues there, light as we know it, will not, but electricity, now dark to us, will be their light. The Milky Way is in shape of a great spiral dragon, head northward, tail southward.

Mrs. J. M. Wilfong, has returned to her home at Sanger, Texas, after a visit to her brother, R. J. Walton and wife of this city. She came over to attend the North Texas meeting of the Baptist Women Missionary Workers.

Prof. G. O. Priest of Chambersville was a business visitor in McKinney Saturday afternoon.

LOVEJOY SCHOOL CLOSES SUCCESSFUL TERM LAST FRIDAY

The Lovejoy school, one of the most modern schools of our county, closed a very successful term on last Friday. A very interesting program was given in the morning, with County Superintendent W. S. Smith and Dr. E. B. Fincher of McKinney as principal speakers. At noon hour a bounteous feast was spread by the ladies of the community which was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Later the program was continued, opening with a welcome chorus by the school pupils. Many of the pupils gave readings, which were well rendered and much appreciated by the large audience.

Miss Viola Poole, county demonstrator, spoke of the good work which could be done by girls' canning clubs, and Mrs. J. L. Lovejoy, who was present and for whom the school was named, organied a Mothers' Club urging to help the girls in their work and make the school a social center. The officers elected were:

President, Mrs. F. L. Phelps.
Vice president, Mrs. Atkinson.
Secretary, Mrs. M. P. Kerby.
Treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Martin.

Miss Louise Estes, Miss Margaret Nale, Elizabeth Emerson, and Mary Virginia Burton of McKinney contributed much to the pleasure of the afternoon by well-rendered readings.

Prof. Walter Dotson is principal of the school and deserves a large share of praise for the good work accomplished. During the war they had a flourishing Red Cross society and are much interested in civics. This spring under the direction of Mr. Dotson, the boys went to the woods and secured trees, planting eighty-four around the school campus in memory of our soldier heroes who gave their lives at home and abroad for their country's honor. He is assisted in his work by Misses Mildred Duer and Margaret Doyle of McKinney who are acquisitions in making Lovejoy, one of our most progressive rural schools.

"SPUDS" GROWING AT POST OFFICE

Irish potatoes are growing in profusion about the federal building in McKinney. H. N. Johnston, the enterprising keeper of the post office property, conceived the idea that the narrow strip of ground between the curb and the wide cement walk about Uncle Sam's handsome structure in McKinney might as well be made to produce something as remain idle. He planted Irish potatoes in the narrow strip around the building and from all appearances it won't be long until there will be "spuds" in abundance as the plants are very large and thrifty and are well cared for. Several bushels of potatoes will be realized by Mr. Johnson's efforts.

The grass, trees and smaller shrubbery about the postoffice are looking fine. The entire property is as clean and well kept as can be, making the postoffice one of the most attractive places in the city.

Graduation.

The Sweet Girl Graduate! On May 19 she receives a diploma for graduation. Her heart beats with pride as she takes the attractive scroll, yet with it comes the "Parting of the Ways," a separation of companions, a separation from the friendly counsel of the teachers, the High school locks are closed and she look forward to a new life and before her she sees a college standing at her reach. The soft ringlets that hung in tresses down her back are arranged in braids, the fluffy ruffles changed to tailored styles and the youthful flower finds herself gradually converted into a full bloom rose of the flowerdale. The Sweet Girl Graduate! You covet the sympathy and encouragement of the friends of education and you should have it. You've played your part well but, ah! after all it is only a rehearsal—only a beginning and may the sweet maidens of the class of 1919 be a pride and joy to their parents, teachers and friends and may they reflect credit on "McKinney Hi" as they play their parts in the walk of life.

Goes To Ardmore, Oklahoma.

In response to a telegram from Tom Harris, manager of the Willard Service Station in Ardmore, Oklahoma, William Jones left for that place Tuesday, to work with Mr. Harris in the battery business. Mr. Harris was formerly manager of the Willard station in this city, during which time Mr. Jones was in his employ.

Improving Home.

T. F. Everett, who bought the Dr. Whitaker place on College Hill, is having same repaired, additional rooms built and the entire building practically made new. This is one of McKinney's most beautiful homes.

R. E. Crockett and wife and their son, Burk Crockett and wife, all of this city, visited their son and brother, Chelsea Crockett and wife of Denton. Chelsea Crockett is manager of the Willard Service Station at Denton which Mr. Crockett and his sons own, together with the McKinney station and also the one at Greenville.

Raymond Gant of Princeton wrote to his mother a few days ago from Camp Mills, N. Y. stating that he had arrived safely from France and for them to look for him about the 12th of May.

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HIS INFLUENCE.

He little knew how many eyes were
watching him each day,
He little dreamed how many ears
caught all he had to say;
He thought it mattered not at all
when petty things he did
He fancied that his virtures showed
and all his flaws were hid.
But this one fact of life on earth to
him remained unknown
That no man, be he great or low,
lives to himself alone.

Youth heard his careless speech at
times, and passed along their way
And soon repeated every phrase that
they had heard him say;
Strangers observed his every deed,
witnessed his frown or smile,
And later did as he had done and followed in his style,
He thought men shaped their lives
themselves, and never dreamed
or knew
That others might be influenced by
the things he chanced to do.

Yet cheerful men who pass along
leave cheerful men behind,
And kindly men rouse other men to
helpful ways and kind.
For each man is an influence for
good or for the bad,
We but reflect from day to day the
lessons we have had,
And so the greatest failure that can
come to man today
Is not to live so other men may safely
tread his way.—Selected.

The pros of Texas should bear in mind the date of May 24th not that it is a day when they can vote, but a day when they must vote if they want to write prohibition into the constitution of our great state.

Seven head of grade hogs sold in McKinney the other day for fine hundred dollars. Had they been purebreds what would they have brought? McKinney is a dandy market town for anything the farmer has to sell.

According to T. P. Gore, the blind United States senator from Oklahoma, the United States has a gross annual income of $65,000,000,000 and a net annual income of $20,000,000,000. This wealth is more generally diffused through the mass of people than in any country in the world today. He said this was one of the greatest bulwarks against the rapidly increasing tide of bolshevism and class hatred, for despotism and poverty are the cause of bolshevism.

The series of articles in this paper by Miss Ruth Finch on the McKinney school survey contains lots of information which is duly appreciated by our readers. McKinney citizens are proud of their public school system. They will not withhold any good thing that is necessary for the continued growth and prosperity of our schools. The authoress of these articles is society editor of this paper and quite a gifted young writer. Her father is the honored mayor of our city, while her mother is a talented worker in church and club circles and is one of the most efficient members that the City School Board has ever had.

The Progressive Farmer, one of the widest read farm publications in the country, made the following editorial mention of one of our local banking institutions: "The First National Bank of McKinney, Texas, is conducting a campaign for the raising of more and better hogs. Large display advertising space is being used in the local papers to educate the farmers to the value of pure-bred hogs and how to grow them economically. The State National Bank of Texarkana is also using large display space in the local papers to furnish the farmers the latest information is of more value than copy boosting the wonderful resources of the banks."

McKinney ought to begin right now to working out plans for a great homecoming reception and welcome to the McKinney contingent of the Thirty-Sixth Division, which it has been announced, will soon set sail from home shores. Co. B, 144th Infty. of the Thirty-Sixth division is made up of a large number of McKinney and Collin county boys and we should show our appreciation of them by according them a welcome eclipsing anything ever given in our city. The boys have won an enviable place in the history of the country by their brilliant achievements on the field of battle. They should be honored for their sacrifices and great accomplishments.

WOMEN'S VOTING INFLUENCES.

Fifty thousand more Chicago women voted wet than voted dry. Proving that the ladies are not pining for a drinkless Eden.

Some folks rashly predicted that when the wife got the ballot she would vote against everything her husband wanted. Utah offers the best evidence to the contrary.

Utah is the center and the hive of Mormonism, and Mormonism has behind it the black record of polygamy.

Did Utah women vote Mormonism out of business? Not much.—From "Girard's Talk of the Day" in the Philadelphia Press.

Mr. Girard's error in his conclusions as above stated consists in his assumption that Chicago women and Utah women are fair representatives of womanhood at large in the United States. He was never more badly mistaken. The type of women attracted to a great city like Chicago from every quarter of the globe, or the wives, daughters and sisters of a limited Mormon section like Utah cannot be palmed off as representative of American womanhood on either the liquor problem or moral ideals. Mr. Girard certainly looks upon his readers as a gullible bunch when he undertakes to set up such an absurdity.

The woman suffrage amendment is a platform demand of the state democracy. Vote for it May 24.

With three such nations bound so closely together as the United States, France and England, the world peace should be much more secure.

McKinney did her duty in the Victory Liberty loan drive. Every town can do this just as easily as did McKinney. Let every town in the county get busy.

The United States, England, France, Italy and Japan will each appoint a judge to represent them when Holland surrenders her royal refugee. Many men have been sentenced to death for less murderous crimes than those committed by the Ex-German Kaiser.

The Baptists of South McKinney have changed the name of their church to King Memorial Church, in honor of the late Dr. E. E. King who organized that congregation three years ago. Dr. King passed on to a rich reward only a few months ago. It is entirely fitting that his memory should be honored by naming this church for him.

Both the Statewide prohibition and woman suffrage amendments which will be voted on May 24 should be adopted by an overwhelming vote. Let the prohibition forces rally to a man and adopt this amendment and also enfranchise our fair womanhood. Both amendments deserve the vote and active support of every qualified voter in the state.

Disabled American soldiers who received their injuries in the recent war are being educated by the United States Government. They receive their technical training free of charge and also receive a suitable compensation while they are taking this training. No better government in the world than ours. It is worth supporting with our money and best blood.

County Chairman J. L. Franklin of the state-wide prohibition amendment county campaign committee calls upon the preachers and pastors throughout our county to urge their congregations to turn out to vote for the amendment on May 24th. The pulpit is the surest and most effective support of clean government as well as of clean moral and religious living.

The first Collin county woman to ever go up in a flying machine was Miss Ruth McKinney, the fair young daughter of City Marshal John S. McKinney of this city, who flew in the airplane with Lieut. Eddie Haig over McKinney Sunday May 4th. Lieut. Haig was from Everman Field, Ft. Worth and visited McKinney in the interest of the Victory Liberty Loan.

President William Bennett Bizzell of the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College will deliver the commencement address at the Boyd High School in McKinney on May 19th. Dr. Bizzell is one of the most eloquent and pleasing orators of our state. His numerous invitations to speak at all kinds of gatherings and occasions is enough to convince the public that it will indeed be a treat to hear him.

Life has been strenuous on Judge Moulden during his tenure of office thus far as county judge. The government has drawn heavily upon his time as county director of its liberty loans. Right faithfully and efficiently has he met and discharged every responsibility. Judge Moulden is a native Collin county boy whose every heart-throb is for the best interest and happiness of the people of his native county that has so signally honored him.

Some day the Russian people will sue the Bolsheviki for divorce on grounds of failure to provide bread and brains.—Bonham Daily Favorite. What is the use of stopping at a divorce. A divorce only separates trouble and never satisfactorily ends it. Let it be death for the Bolsheviki cause and end the trouble. The United States wouldn't act in defense of the Bolsheviki so why should Russia worry.

The cold drink tax rate went into effect May 1st. A short time ago the government decided to place a tax of one cent on five and ten cent drinks and a two cent tax on all drinks over ten cents. This is only one of the many means which the government has decided upon to help raise sufficient funds to pay heavy war debts. But the victory won is worth every cent of it.

"See 'Gets-It' Peel Off This Corn."

Leaves The Toe as Smooth as the Palm of Your Hand.

The corn never grew that "Gets-It" will not get. It never irritates the flesh, never makes your toe sore. Just two drops of "Gets-It" and presto! the corn-pain vanishes. Shortly you can peel the corn right

It's Wonderful to See "Gets-It" Peel Off Corns

off with your finger and there you are—pain-free and happy, with the toe as smooth and corn-free as your palm. "Gets-It" is the only safe way in the world to treat a corn or callus. It's the sure way—the way that never fails. It is tried and true—used by millions every year. It always works. "Gets-It" makes cutting and digging at a corn and fussing with bandages, salves or anything else entirely unnecessary. "Gets-It," the guaranteed, money-back corn-remover, the only sure way, costs but a trifle at any drug store. M'f'd by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

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WILSON FAVORS ADOPTION WOMAN SUFFRAGE MAY 24

That President Wilson believes in Democracy for American women and is eager that Texas shall have the honor of being the first Southern state to take this forward-looking step is evidenced by the following cable from Paris to M. H. Wolfe, chairman State Democratic Executive Committee:

"I am deeply interested, and every lover of the Country must be, in the vote to be taken by the people of Texas on the twenty-fourth of May on the Constitutional Amendment, giving the women of Texas the right to vote, and take the liberty of expressing my confident hope that this exceedingly important amendment will be adopted.

"WOODROW WILSON."

President Wilson's message is in response to the following which was cabled to him on May 2nd:

"Constitutional Amendment giving Texas women the ballot to be voted by people on May twenty-fourth. This question is submitted in compliance with demand of last Democratic State platform. The friends of suffrage would be gratified to have an expression from you as leader of the Democratic party favoring suffrage amendment.

M. H. WOLFE,
Chairman State Democratic Executive Committee."

APRIL DIVORCE SUITS WERE ABOVE AVERAGE

There were fifteen suits for divorce filed in the ofice of District Clerk Alice Taylor, Deputy Frank G. Wheatley said today. This number is considerably above the average, which usually is about seven per month.

Planting Cotton

If you want to make money on your cotton crop get Mebane and Big Boll Rowden seed from me. I also have the best of big Golden Millet, Sudan, Cane, Maize, Alfalfa, Feterita, Stock Beets and other seeds. J. M. ANDREWS, Collin's Leading Seed and Plant Store.

Palm Olive soap, 12 bars for $1.00 or 3 bars for 25c for a day or so at Giles McKinney's. Regular price is 15c per bar.

New shipment grape and loganberry juice at A. L. Ragsdale's Grocery.

HEROIC DEAD HONORED AT COTTAGE HILL DECORATION

The annual decoration of graves in the Cottage Hill cemetery was observed Friday afternoon. The attendance was exceptionally good considering the cloudy weather. There was a profusion of beautiful flowers.

A most interesting program was rendered in the Methodist church at that place. Rev. Graves made an interesting talk on the "Resurrection." Rev. Fielder gave a splendid talk on "Flowers for the Living." Misses Jessie Pafford and Alta Malone favored the large crowd with excellent readings. The program was interspersed throughout with excellent music by the Cottage Hill choir. A mound was erected in honor of the boys who died across the sea and each placed a bouquet upon it in honor of our dead heroes.

Sheriff Ed Blakeman is getting the county ballot boxes in shape, preparatory to delivering them to the various voting boxes in the county soon, for the election to be held May 24.

Henry Leverett of Farmersville who is one of Uncle Sam's soldiers in France, has wired his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Leverett, that he has arrived in New York and will soon be home.

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He forgets to add distilled water.

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The climax of quality in every sack of White Billows flour.

A free cook book with each first can of Ryzon baking powder. A. L. RAGSDALE'S GROCERY.

Grape fruit, fresh and fine at A. L. Ragsdale's Grocery.

Home made light bread—the best you ever tasted is yours if you use White Billows flour in the baking.

WE APPRECIATE THE FURNITURE BUSINESS WE ARE ENJOYING

We are delighted with the patronage which the people are according this store. It leads us to believe that our goods and prices are right. They are right. Come in and let us show you some of the good values in Rugs, Furniture, etc.

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We have just installed at our garage just east of J. P. Dowell's store, a 200 ton Hydraulic Press for putting SOLID TIRES on auto trucks. We carry the solid tires in stock and will give you the best of service.

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W. M. SHIPLEY

BETTER CLOTHES—LESS MONEY
McKINNEY, TEXAS

MOTHER OF MRS. C. D. WRAY DIES AT KENTUCKY HOME

The following is from the Campbellsville (Ky.) News-Journal, of April 24th. The deceased was the mother of Mrs. Chas. D. Wray of McKinney. Mrs. Wray arrived home Friday from Kentucky where she had been for several weeks at the bedside of her mother. Mrs. Durham had visited here on several occasions and spent several months with her daughter. Her passing will be learned of with regret. The News-Journal says:

"As Tuesday's evening shadows entwined the earth for slumber to awake at dawn amid sunshine, death's hoverings about the cot of Mrs. Mary Catherine Durham pressed her to rest and released her soul that it may return to Him who gave it. Her death, like her life, was filled with hope and with her faith unswerving until the end, she passed over the divide which separates this and eternity. Suffering intensely for several weeks, with an occasional moment of consciousness, the end came not unexpected to those so near and dear about her bedside.

Mrs. Durham was born Oct. 4th 1844. Her maiden name was Miss Mary Catherine Hunter. She was married to John S. Durham about the year 1868. To this union eight children were born. Mr. Durham preceded her fifteen years ago last January, and since his death she has made her home with her several children. At the time of her death she was at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Abraham Campbell. She was one of the strongest lights in the Methodist church in this county, and so earnest was her zeal to serve God in all His appointed ways, her church always came first in everything. In the closing of her life the church has lost a valuable member, the community a great inspiration for good and the home, the counselor and guardian, for although were her children grown, yet they always counciled with mother in all their undertakings. She is survived by Mrs. C. D. Wray of McKinney, Texas; Mrs. Abraham Campbell and Mrs. L. A. Hill of this county, W. L. and J. R. Durham of Louisville, J. T. Durham of Greensburg, G. H. Durham of Saloma and one sister, Mrs. I. P. Kelly of Denver, Colo.

Yesterday afternoon at Saloma Methodist church her funeral was held by her pastor, Rev. P. C. Long and the burial followed in the Saloma cemetery. To the bereaved sons, daughters and sitsers in this hour when they naturally feel the great weight of their loss, yet this is counteracted with the great assurance that their loss is her gain, and that she bids them weep not as those who have no hope, but rather weep with joy that she has finished the work, has kept the faith and has gone to receive her reward from the giver of all good and perfect gifts."

RAINBOW BOYS REACH DALLAS MONDAY AFTERNOON

Texas units of the famous Rainbow Division of United States troops arrived in Dallas Monday afternoon en route to Camp Bowie for demobilization. Quite a number of McKinney and Collin county people went down to Dallas to witness the big parade and watch Dallas pay homage to the boys during their stay in that city. There are three Collin county boys who are soldiers in Co. A. 177th Supply Train, a unit recruited in Dallas and which has seen hard service on the fields of France. They are Corp. John W. McKinney of Anna, Sergt. R. M. Gallaher of McKinney and Corp. J. D. Dinwiddie of Plano. Elmer K. Murray of this city was also a member of the Rainbow Division during its service in France.

J. H. STINSON SELLS FARM NEAR McKINNEY

J. H. Stinson, well-known McKinney automobile dealer, Monday morning sold his fifty-acre farm two miles south of McKinney to G. C. Vest of Anna. The consideration was $6,750. The deal was made by Tom W. Perkin of the McKinney Realty Co. This farm is close to town and is well located, being on the pike and interurban. If you don't want to sell your property don't list it with the McKinney Realty Company for they'll surely find you a buyer if it is possible.

FORMER MELISSA BOY.

Celebrates World Peace by Giving World Boy for Next War.

Mrs. S. E. Palmer of Blue Ridge was visiting in McKinney one day last week. While in McKinney she called at this office and informed us that her son, Jack Hendricks, a former Melissa boy, but now of Seattle, Washington, is the proud father of a six-and-a quarter pound son. Jack is a son of former Deputy Sheriff J. L. Hendricks of this city. Fourteen years ago Jack left Melissa and went to Seattle where he soon began work for the Standard Furniture Company of that place. The following article appeared in the April number of "Zizz," a paper issued monthly in the interest of the employes of the Standard Furniture Company of Seattle: "Jack Hendricks celebrates peace with a soldier boy for the next war. It took the war to jolt our Jack Hendricks into action and he acted perfectly patriotically by contributing to his country one husky for future trouble, if necessary. After fourteen years at the married game Jack picked on this as a psychological time to celebrate and he did on February 7th with a six-an'-a-quarter pounder, Jack De Elbert. Jack has been playing the Standard game in the Shipping and Grief departments these thirteen years last past. Zizz extends to friend Jack and Mrs. Jack millions of best wishes on behalf of the whole shooting match of Standardites."

Jack Aycock of McKinney and Melvin West of Princeton have bought the jitney line and cars from John Ball and will operate the same in the future. Mr. West will manage the business.

YOUNG PEOPLE MAKE MERRY.

Young Men of Christian Church Were Guests of Young Ladies of Presbyterian Church Tuesday Evening.

A beautiful meadow glade bordering a tree-lined stream and resplendent with the verdure of springtime was the setting for a gay picnic Tuesday evening, when the young men of the First Christian church were guests of the young ladies of the Presbyterian church. The party, gathering at the home of Misses Grizzell and Edith Searcy on North Bradley street, was conveyed to the scene of the frolic in automobiles. An elaborate feast had been prepared by the young ladies and was spread in true picnic style on the grass. "Hot dogs," broiled over a camp fire with the aid of willow withes, occupied a prominent place on the menu, which was made more tempting with sandwiches, cake, iced tea and ice cream. Then followed games such as "drop the handkerchief," "pop the whip" and "wolf over the river." Tiring of this, the young people sang until time to leave for home. The young men expressed their gratitude for the pleasant evening and hinted that they would endeavor to return the favor soon.

VAN ALSTYNE PICNIC JULY 10TH AND 11TH.

The date set for the annual Van Alstyne picnic is July 10th and 11th. It will be held in the McKinney grove one mile north of Van Alstyne near the interurban.

A. J. AYCOCK TO ATTEND COTTON GROWERS MEET.

Judge Ramsey of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas has appointed A. J. Aycock of McKinney as a representative of Collin county to attend the great meeting of the cotton growing states in the interest of the fleecy staple at New Orleans May 14, 15 and 16. Mr. Aycock will leave for New Orleans today.

BLUE GRASS IN DR. WILEY'S YARD.

Perhaps the only Kentucky blue grass growing in McKinney, according to W. J. Stokes, is to be seen at the home of Dr. T. W. Wiley, on West Louisiana street. The grass was planted in the limited space between the porch and the sidewalk. It has grown luxuriantly and is now fully headed out.

BIG POULTRY AND PET STOCK SHOW.

Jim P. Thomas, secretary-treasurer of the Collin County Poultry Breeders and Pet Stock Association, states that the membership of that organization is increasing. There are at present about seventy-five members. He says that every person in the county who is interested in the poultry industry and who raises pet stock should join the association. The show to be held this fall in connection with the Collin County Fair will be one of the biggest and best every held in the county. Before a person can enter his birds or pet stock in the show and compete for prizes he or she must become a member of the association. The dues are only one dollar per year. Collin county could easily be made the banner poultry county in the south.

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NO one can live out a well rounded, healthful, normal life without variety. "The spice of life" is necessary, for without it existence is flat, stale and profitless indeed.

Music possesses infinite variety. It plays upon the emotions; it changes, with the quickness of thought itself, sorrow to joy, tears to laughter; it fans into flame in an instant the fires of partiotism; it brings the solace of religion, the exaltation of Divine Communion.

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WALTER DUGGER GETS DISCHARGED

Among the visitors in McKinney Thursday was Walter Dugger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dugger of the Milligan community. Walter was recently honorably discharged from the service. He was a sergeant in the service, and as a result of an injury received several months ago while in the service, Sergt. Dugger never got to go across. For several months he was stationed at Camp Merritt, N. J.

W. B. Sanders of Chambersville was among those in McKinney Monday afternoon on business.

L. F. Dalton, a farmer living a few miles northwest of McKinney called at our office Monday. He was accompanied by his son George H. Dalton who was recently discharged from the government service. George left with a detachment of draft men last May for Leon Springs, Texas where he began his military training. He served 9 months and 13 days with the Field Artillery, Battery "E" 144 Regiment.

Received DAILY

Fresh Strawberries

Fresh Beans

Fresh Rhubarb

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And stock in this company is selling 3 1-2 to 1. We are between 350 and 400 feet of this well.

It is our opinion that as quick as this well comes in that Cotton Belt stock will either be taken off the market, or the price advanced to above par. So now is the time to buy, when we know we can deliver the stock.

We still stand behind our proposition that any man who will buy stock in this company, then go to Burkburnett and investigate what we have told him, and if he finds that we have not told the truth, we will refund his money and pay his railroad fare, there and back. Don't take our word—

Go See For Yourself.

APPLICATION BLANK.

Attach check today and mail to The McKinney Oil Exchange, McKinney, Texas.

Gentlemen: Please enter my subscription for ..... shares of the capital stock of the Cotton Belt Oil Co. at $50.00 per share. (Fully paid and non-assessable.)

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McKinney, Texas.

KIDDIES WILL USE 100,000 BOOKS

It will require at least 100,000 books to furnish the school children of Collin county next fall under the free text-book law, according to County Superintendent W. S. Smith who is preparing requisitions for the books. There are 14,598 scholastics in the county and Mr. Smith estimates that it will take between 100,000 and 125,000 books to supply them. The rural schools of the county make application to Mr. Smith for books needed while the independent districts apply to the state superintendent direct.

Mr. Field, a successful Ellis County farmer of near Waxahachie, has been visiting his son, who lives on his farm near McKinney, for the past few days.

152 Marriages This Year

From January 1, 1919 to May 8, 1919, there had been issued by County Clery Rufus Holsonbake 152 marriage licenses. Of recent date the number issued seems to be growing greater but for the same period in 1918 there were issued 166 permits to wed, a difference of only 14 in this and last year, from Jan. 1, to May 8th of each year.

Prof. R. M. Anderson of Stiff Chapel was here Thursday afternoon. He was teacher of the Stiff Chapel school the past term which term ended Wednesday of this week. Prof. Anderson contemplates moving to Ms-Kinney.

Hunter Hill of Melissa was transacting business in McKinney Monday afternoon.

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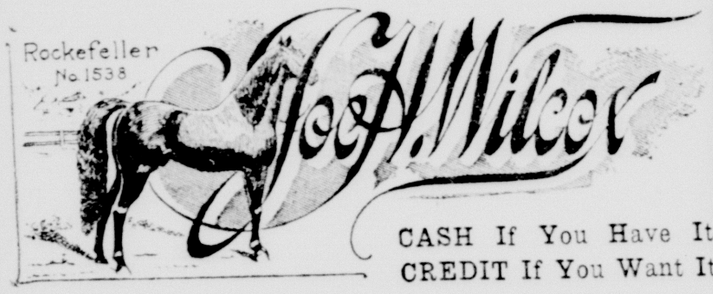

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TWO EXTRA NICE YOUNG WHITE POINTED BLACK JACKS and two of the best Kentucky, Denmark Saddle Stallions known in breeding history, viz.:

GRAND CHAMPION CHESTER TIME NO. 2179—Beautiful bay, 16 hands, 1250 lbs. Grand Champion blue ribbon winner in four states, and

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SERVICE FEES will be reduced this year for cash.

SALES DEPT.: We will buy and sell registered saddle horses, mules and dairy cattle.

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION call at Rambo's Park, North Chestnut Street, Phone No. 779, or address,

THE JOE H. WILCOX LIVESTOCK COMPANY, McKinney, Texas.

No Business Transacted on Sunday.

NOTICE: On account of duties in connection with my other business interests, I am unable, personally, to give any time to my livestock business this year and so have associated with me Mr. S. M. Stanley, who will be in full charge as manager. Mr. Stanley formerly was associated with me for several years in farming and in the livestock business and was very efficient.

I am pleased to state to my friends and the public that I will "stand behind" Mr. Stanley in the guarantees he offers in this business and will personally sign with him all contracts relative thereto.

Respectfully yours,

JOE H. WILCOX.

McKinney School Survey

BOYD HIGH SCHOOL IS NOW CLOSING SUCCESSFUL TERM

By MISS RUTH FINCH.

McKinney is proud of her institutions of learning and does not lose an opportunity to further the interests and progress of her schools and especially is she proud of the magnificent Boyd High school which was completed in December, 1915, at the cost of $100,000 and was named in honor of Mrs. Mary E. Boyd of this city who contributed liberally to the equipment of the building.

The main entrance fronts Louisianna street and the two side entrances face Bradley and College street.

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Five Acre Campus.

The campus covers an area of five acres; a beautiful avenue of trees are formed on either side of the long walks, flower gardens enhance the beauty of the campus and a splendid tennis court is reserved on one side of the campus and a large portion of the campus is reserved for track games.

J. S. Carlisle is the efficient superintendent. Prof. Carlisle is a man of superior qualities in school affairs and with his ability and splendid leadership, the McKinney public schools have risen to the highest standard that would be well to be emulated by schools of larger cities.

R. H. Hardage is principal of the High school. Prof. Hardage is a born leader. He is loved and esteemed by the student body; an enthusiast on athletics and a trustworthy teacher in the class rooms.

Mrs. R. R. Harwell is instructor in English. It is indeed an honor to the High school to enjoy the privilege of being under Mrs. Harwell who has traveled extensively both at home and abroad, who attended Harvard University and was graduated from the University of Chicago.

Miss Ruth Dowell is assistant English instructor. Miss Dowell is one of the most brilliant young ladies in our city and is a teacher of ingenius competency. She was graduated from Baylor College in Belton and takes special summer courses in Chicago University.

Mrs. W. T. Beverly is instructor in History. Mrs. Beverly wields a helpful influence among the boys and girls; she is tactful and painstaking and has the honor of being the first woman in Collin county appointed to conduct the Summer Normal.

Miss Jeffie D. Pringle is assistant in history. Miss Pringle's methods are unusual; her careful conception of historical events and her gift of teaching others what she knows places her in rank as a most proficient instructor.

Miss Percy Gallaher is Latin assistant. Latin, to the majority of students, is a fearful bug-bear but Miss Gallaher's clear explanations seem to sever the clouds and make this study a genuine pleasure to the majority of the students.

Miss Rowena Rutledge teaches French and Spanish. Formerly Latin was the only language taught but within the last few years both French and Spanish were added to the curriculum and Miss Ruthledge has proven herself very proficient in her tutoring.

B. F. Skelton is instructor in mathematics. Mr. Skelton is known both by the intermediates and high school students as one who has a keen and thorough mind for the mathematical profession. Some of his students declare that the planes, bi-planes and perpendiculars obey explicitly when he speaks and he is one among few who can convey knowledge to others in a successful way.

J. P. Saunders is science teacher and special coach. This is Mr. Saunder's first year in the McKinney High school and he has proven himself an important member of the faculty.

Miss Florence Taylor is assistant in mathematics. The pupils all love Miss Taylor for her patience and perseverance. Miss Taylor does summer work in the State University; is a Normal graduate and a teacher of much ability and talent.

Miss Ripple Frazier is instructor in domestic science and domestic art. The annual exhibits in cooking and sewing bespeaks Miss Frazier's attributes as a teacher. A number of the young ladies in this department make their own clothes. The daintiest pastry and delicious pudding, etc., are made in this department and the latent talents of these young ladies are brought out in this interesting department and no doubt many a man (and husband of the future) will owe a debt of gratitude to the domestic science department for the dainty little biscuits he enjoys every morninf for breakfast.

Alfred Maxey is in charge of the manual training department. The boys are taught this art most effectively. Long tables, vanities, hall racks, gavels and other useful accessories are made in Mr. Maxey's department. A number of the students of this class receive their inspiration to become architects from the course that is offered in this department.

The splendid personnel of the faculty should be a pleasing fact to the citizenship of McKinney who should be vitally concerned in the welfare of our city's educational institutions.

Fifty-seven students are members of the graduating class this year. The McKinney High school is highly affiliated with the various colleges and Universities of the United States and the students entering these institutions after graduating in the McKinney High school find no gap—but find the work just where they left off in the high school. Visiting inspectors have lauded our public schools unstintingly and it is a record that should be impressed approvingly upon our citzenship. Supt. Carlisle has many dreams for the future good of the McKinney public schools. He is hopeful that the day will soon come when a kindergarten department is added to the other departments. A number of high energetic children below the entrance age are handicapped owing to the fact that their little minds are eager to learn yet they are below the school age. A first class kindergarten as a part of the school would eliminate this condition.

Supt. Carlisle is also hopeful of another ward school to alleviate crowded conditions and benefit neighborhoods who have no school in their district. He is also hoping that in the near future that McKinney may have a junior and senior high school. Supt. Carlisle has a vision of the success that this plan would have in the city of McKinney.

There are 1900 students in the McKinney public schools and this large number of students naturally brings problems and questions. The last year has brought wonderful success and on May 19, the school doors of our city are to be closed for the vacation months after a nine months period of good work, real accomplishment and a step upward on the ladder of success.

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City School Board.

The McKinney School Board composed of L. A. Scott, Walter B. Wilson, Will J. Rhea, L. J. Truett, J. Perry Burrus, George Wilcox and Mrs. H. A. Finch, give their services free to the interest of the public school affairs. Their broad vision, conception of school advantages and the liberal time they give to the advancement of our schools should be appreciated and esteemed by the public. Besides the school problems taking their time it is a responsibility to solve the problems and much honor and appreciation is due this competent board for their careful discretion, wise counsel and able deliberation in the wheels of our public schools.

BOYD HIGH SCHOOL, McKINNEY, TEXAS.

LIEUT. HUBERT ROGERS ARRIVES IN NEW YORK.

Hon. Woodville J. Rogers of this city, recently returned from France, where he served for a year as an observer in the U. S. Air forces, had a telegram Friday morning from his brother, First Lieutenant Hubert Rogers, announcing his safe arrival in New York. Hubert is expected home in the next few days. Lieut. Hubert Rogers was a pilot of one of the U. S. fighting planes, and was much service and had many thrilling experiences. He engaged in the air battles over St. Mihiel and Argonne Forest. Before going to France, he was a flyer in Italy for several months. Hubert and Woodville Rogers are sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rogers of Melissa, where they were reared. Before entering the service Hubert was principal of the Melissa public school.

McKINNEY WONT SEND DELEGATES

The annual firemen's convention will be held in Cuero May 13, 14 and 15. However, the McKinney fire department recently voted not to send delegates to this meeting. McKinney several years ago entertained the state firemen.

M'KINNEY ODD FELLOWS GIVEN ROYAL RECEPTION AT BONHAM

(Bonham Daily Favorite, Thursday, May 8th.)

The Odd Fellows First Degree Staff, fifty strong of W. C. Burrus Lodge No. 553 at McKinney, came to Bonham on the late train yesterday on invitation of Haywood Lodge of this place.

This Staff which easily takes rank as one of the best in the world, is headed by J. Frank Smith, of the McKinney Examiner, as Captain.

Last night at Woodman Hall they rendered a program of three hours' duration, which to Odd Fellows was both enjoyable and instructive. The program was a reproduction of the exhibition work presented by the Staff before the Grand Lodge at Dallas in March, and was pronounced by many who witnessed the work on both occasions to even surpass the Dallas rendition.

The degree of Friendship was conferred on a class of ten candidates, seven of whom came from McKinney.

This subime lesson, taken from the Biblical narrative of the friendship that existed between Jonathan and David was made more instructive by a drama entitled the "Anointing of David," of which Arthur T. Church of the team is the author. The dramatic talent displayed in this is of the highest type and as a prelude to the degree intensifies the effect of the lesson.

The Staff brought its own magnificent paraphernalia, electrical apparatus, colored lights and other equipment necessary to the spectacular and scenic production.

The Staff also includes what is known far and wide in Odd Fellowship as the Cobb Quartette, composed of Messrs. Geo. T. Cobb, John Cobb, Arthur Hill and Robt. H. Brown. They gave some delightful songs, and the encores showed how the audience appreciated them.

Hon. George P. Brown, of McKinney, delivered a splendid address on Odd Fellowship. This address was on a new line and was highly appreciated.

The address and musical program was given in the beginning and was concluded with one of the most inspiring scenes of the evening when the Degree Staff appeared in full costume led by a U. S. soldier attired in his overseas suit bearing a large flag. The soldier took position in the center of the hall while the Degree Staff formed a semi-circle in front of the presiding officers station. The lights were turned off and the spot-light flashed on the soldier and flag while the Cobb Quartette sang "The Star Spangled Banner." There was not a dull moment in the entire program.

This Staff is to be congratulated in having such a zealous and able captain as J. Frank Smith. McKinney or any other city may well be proud of such a staff, and all who were present last night felt both honored and greatly benefitted in having them render their splendid program and work in Bonham.

All Bonham appreciates their visit and will welcome them all at any time they may visit us again.

The above clipping from the Bonham Daily Favorite shows how the McKinney Odd Fellows were received and appreciated on their trip to that city Wednesday. The trip was planned to be made in automobiles, but the heavy rain of that morning caused the arrangements to have to be changed. The party left here on a special interurban car Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Sherman where connection was made with the T. & P. over to Bonham. They arrived there at 5:20 and were met by a large reception committee from the Bonham lodge, headed by Mayor C. A. Wheeler and his law partner, Judge S. F. Leslie, two of the most enthusiastic Odd Fellows and influential citizens of Bonham. After being assigned rooms for the night at the hotel they were taken to one of the leading cafes and served to an elaborate dinner. It being over the Degree Staff repaired immediately to the W. O. W. Hall and entered upon a rehearsal of the work for the night which was begun at 8:15. Every seat was occupied in the large building and some stood throughout the entire program. The attention was perfect, and the work received with great enthusiasm. Mayor Wheeler was master of ceremonies and introduced the Degree Staff in glowing language. Hon. C. A. McMay introduced the Cobb Quartette, and Past Grand Master W. A. Spangler, one of the greatest Odd Fellows in Texas or the United States, made some felicitious remarks. Mr. Spangler being the County Chairman of the Victory Loan for Fannin county and his labors very strenuous during the closing days was on the occasion of the McKinney Odd Fellows visit prevented from taking his usual active part in everything pertaining to Odd Fellowship in his home lodge.

Nearly every lodge in Fannin county was represented at the Bonham meeting, and many attended from Grayson and other counties. They were all lavish in their expressions of appreciation of the work done by the McKinney Degree Staff.

An elaborate breakfast was served to the McKinney men at 6:30 Thursday morning before their departure for home. Their entertainment during the entire visit could not have been more royal, not only by the Odd Fellows, but by the citizenship of Bonham which is a live, wide-awake, progressive town. As stated before Mr. Wheeler, chairman of the local Odd Fellows entertainment committee and director of the degree staffs of his lodge, has been honored with the office of Mayor of his city for nine years. The writer had the honor of being entertained in his home overnight while there. We also met our good friend, Sherwood Spotts, editor of the Bonham Favorite, and Congressman Sam Rayburn, Walter Hand a former Collin county citizen, was also a member of the entertainment committee and showed the McKinney visitors many kindnesses.

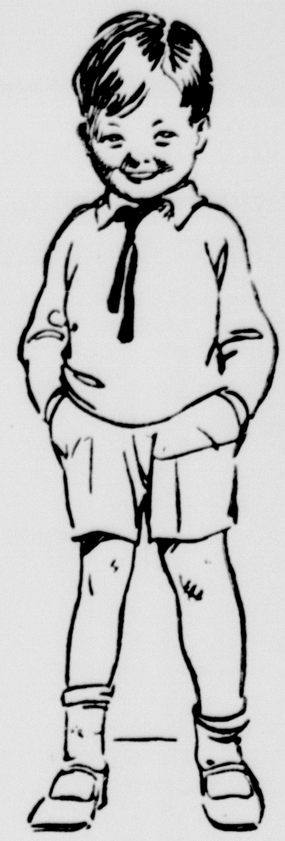
The party left Bonham Thursday morning at 7:45 and reached McKinney at 11:20 in the special Interurban car from Sherman.

The work done on this occasion is considered to be the most successful in the history of the Degree Staff.

Five members of the Degree Staff and one of the candidates who could not leave their business interest in time to go to Bonham on the train, made the trip in automobiles through the rain and over the muddy roads.

"MOTHER KNOWS"

When I feel scrappy and mean, mother never scolds. She usually finds my tongue is white, my breath bad, then she says, "My Pet needs a Cascaret." I gladly take Cascarets because they taste like candy. Next morning I wake up feeling dandy. Do you give your children Cascarets or nasty castor oil, pills or calomel? Cascarets never hurt us kids.



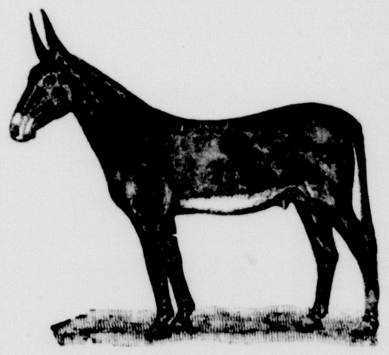
Cascarets, candy cathartic, cost only 10 cents and mothers will find directions for children's dosage at all ages on each box. Cascarets work like a charm when the child's little stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing and regulating.

RECORD PRICES FOR POULTRY

Poultry of all kinds bring record prices on the McKinney market, according to A. J. Commons. Hens are bringing twenty-three cents per pound and broilers sell at the fancy price of thirty-five cents per pound. Taking the market as a whole Mr. Commons says that poultry prices are the highest he has ever paid. He also states that the 1919 crop of poultry in the county is going to be very large. From what can be learned there are more young chickens on the farms this year than ever before.

R. L. (Bob) Jackson, the enterprising truck gardner, who lives in the south part of the city, has some extra nice large early turnips which he raised. Mr. Jackson has several acres of ground which he has planted in various kinds of vegetables which he places on the McKinney market. Hardly a week day in the whole year passes without he markets something.

1919 SEASON



TWO BLACK JACKS

With white points. Big fellows, fancy individuals and breeders. If you want better and bigger mules look your mares to either of them. TERMS: $10 and $15 to insure living colt.

ACCIDENTS. Care wil be taken to void accidents in breeding the above stallion and jacks but I will not be responsible if any occur.

BREEDING BARN two miles north of McKinney court house at home place. Follow College street north.

ROLAFF NO. 94881.

Registered black 1860 pound Percheron stallion (Cunningham horse). Six years old, in his prime, sure foaler and shows best colts in this section of state. TERMS: $15 to insure living colt.

E. W. Sweeney

Phone 337. Box 123, McKinney, Tex.

NEW PERFECTION
OIL COOK STOVES

"WHAT a delight to cook on the New Perfection! The kitchen is always so clean and comfortable—no mussing with ashes or a sweltering fire. It lights in a jiffy, full heat instantly—turn out when you are through."

From New Perfection advertising—People's Home Journal—May, 1919.

The Long Blue Chimney Burner turns every drop of kerosene oil into clean intense heat, and drives it full force against the utensil—no smoke—no odor. Burners are brass and last for years.

Sold by all good dealers—ask your dealer to demonstrate this Long Blue Chimney Burner.

THE CLEVELAND METAL PRODUCTS CO.
7310 Platt Avenue Cleveland, Ohio

DEALERS NOTE—The Magnolia Petroleum Company is the distributor of these products in your locality. Complete stocks are carried by them at conveniently located points.

Use Magnolia SAFETY OIL

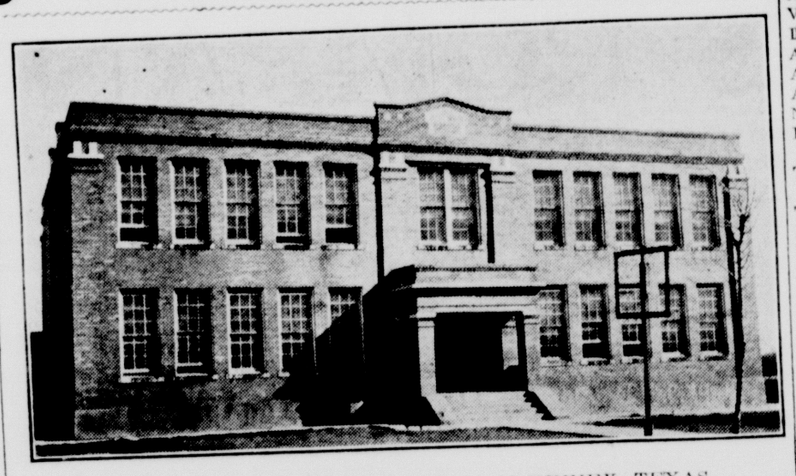
McKinney School Survey

EAST WARD SCHOOL HOLDS CHAMPIONSHIP IN COUNTY SPELLING

BY MISS RUTH FINCH.

The most recently constructed, but a school that ranks as one of the leading wards in the city is the East Ward school located in East McKinney, on one of the most beautiful areas in the city. The city of McKinney for many years felt the need of a new ward school and as McKinney continued to grow and the other schools were overflowing the city in 1915 voted $25,000 worth of bonds for a new building and the School Board after thorough investigation found that the people in this section of the city who for a number of years were sending their children across the railroad deserved a building in their neighborhood and the present beautiful site was chosen. The building faces a paved street and the citizens of this section are so enterprising that they have filled the school parking with beautiful flox, periwinkles and a variety of spring blooms, thus creating a pleasing surrounding to harmonize with the tasty parkings in the private home parkings. If one in driving over the city will observe the homes in East McKinney they cannot help but admire the artistic flower gardens and the splendid upkeep of these homes.

The school besides bearing the repute as a school who is of an aesthetic nature, rightfully deserves the title as one of the cleanest schools in the city. Visitors are liberal in their praise of the well-kept building. The hallways in the most inclement weather are kept in perfect order. The stairway is ever free from mud and litter; the class rooms are always tidy and clean and the janitor, Mr. Drake, is known throughout the city as a man who does not merely work for his salary but who loves the work so well that he puts his very soul in his toil and takes great pride in keeping up the standard of cleanliness in this school.



EAST WARD SCHOOL BUILDING, McKINNEY, TEXAS.

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Won Championship In Spelling.

The pupils are courteous, bright and persevering and the East Ward school won the distinction in capturing the championship prize in the county spelling contest during the interscholastic meet in McKinney.

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The Teachers.

The teachers, Misses Ruth Kendall, Ferris Franklin and Marguerite Mayhew and the principal, Prof. J. M. Rickerson, deserve a large share of praise in promoting the ideals of the school and for the splendid record in all the departments this year. The ideal situation, the quietude of the location and the hearty cooperation of the patrons of this vicinity are important factors and successful mediums in the advancement of the school.

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Enrollment.

The East Ward is but a youth on the roster of the McKinney public schools but the citizens of McKinney may well expect great and useful things from their youngest child. One hundred and twenty-five pupils are enrolled, the class rooms are not overcrowded; individual attention is afforded every pupil and the superior advantages of this school are of unusual significance to the children of this locality.

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Personal Interest In Schools.

All of our public schools are essentials toward the progress of the city. The compulsory education bill, the free text book amendment, a careful selection of teachers are advantageously essential in the development along educational lines but a personal interest in the pupils and teachers and interest in school activities will enhance the progress of any school. Only a short time ago a patron said, "Why, I don't ever worry with school affairs; I don't really know who my children's teachers are."

This attitude is detrimental to both teachers and pupils as well as to the patron.

The McKinney public schools are of vital interest to every citizen and it is felt that the East Ward will always shine brightly and its pupils will reflect worthy credit on their city and state.

NORTHWEST TEXAS IS LOOKING UP.

The writer has just returned from the oil fields. While in that section he traveled over a considerable portion of Wichita county, reaching into Wilbarger. The wheat and oat crops in that section are simply fine. Barring mishaps, that section will make the best crops in years. Adding this to oil development, the "milk and honey" time has reached the golden west. You can't believe it unless you see it with your own eyes, and then you almost doubt some of your seeing.

You Do More Work,

You are more ambitious and you get more enjoyment out of everything when your blood is in good condition. Impurities in the blood have a very depressing effect on the system, causing weakness, laziness, nervousness and sickness.

GROVE'S TASTELESS Chill TONIC restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value.

GROVE'S TASTELESS Chill TONIC is not a patent medicine, it is simply IRON and QUININE suspended in Syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs Quinine to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. These reliable tonic properties never fail to drive out impurities in the blood.

The Strength-Creating Power of GROVE'S TASTELESS Chill TONIC has made it the favorite tonic in thousands of homes. More than thirty-five years ago, folks would ride a long distance to get GROVE'S TASTELESS Chill TONIC when a member of their family had Malaria or needed a body-building, strength-giving tonic. The formula is just the same today, and you can get it from any drug store. 60c per bottle.

WOMAN'S NERVES MADE STRONG
By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Winona, Minn.—"I suffered for more than a year from nervousness, and was so bad I could not rest at night—would lie awake and get so nervous I would have to get up and walk around and in the morning would be all tired out. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and thought I would try it. My nervousness soon left me. I sleep well and feel fine in the morning and able to do my work. I gladly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to make weak nerves strong."—Mrs. ALBERT SULTZE, 603 Olmstead St., Winona, Minn.

How often do we hear the expression among women, "I am so nervous, I cannot sleep," or "it seems as though I should fly." Such women should profit by Mrs. Sultze's experience and give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial.

For forty years it has been overcoming such serious conditions as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, dizziness, and nervous prostration of women, and is now considered the standard remedy for such ailments.

MRS. IKE G. HIPP DIED AT PRINCETON WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Mrs. Ike G. Hipp, age 40, died at her home in Princeton at 11 o'clock Wednesday night May 7th after a lingering illness. The deceased is survived by her husband and four children, one son and three daughters. The youngest child being three years old. She is also survived by her father L. F. Chelf Sr., of McKinney and three brothers, S. B. Chelf of Anthem, Texas; L. F. Chelf, Jr. of Oklahoma and Joe Chelf of McKinney; also by two sisters, Mrs. G. W. Russell of McKinney and Mrs. F. C. Combest of Grayson county. She was born in Casey county, Kentucky and came to Collin county 28 years ago with her parents. Her mother died in McKinney two years ago. She was a devoted mother and wife and a member of the Christian church. The bereaved husband and little children and other relatives have the sympathy of many friends in their sad hour.

DR. SAM H. BRYAN.

Van Alstyne Veterinary And Registered Jersey Cattle Breeder Visits McKinney.

Dr. Sam H. Bryan, a young Van Alstyne veterinary surgeon, transacted business in McKinney Monday. Mr. Bryan is devoting some of his time to breeding and dealing in registered Jersey cattle and usually handlles only fancy bred stuff. Mr. Bryan is a stockholder in the Red River Valley Fair at Sherman which enterprise recently incorporated and is going to equip its fair grounds with some spacious permanent buildings. Dr. Bryan is a son of Mrs. J. M. Bryan and brother of Mrs. John F. Chandler and of C. M. and W. I. Bryan, all of McKinney.

DAMFINO JONES.

Damfino Jones, a mental drone,
Had no opinions of his own;
He grew to manhood meek and mild,
But he was Indecision's child.
It was the same in weal or woe;
He "wasn't sure," or "didn't know."
In business he would hesitate
To buy or sell until too late;
So, naturally, he ran in debt—
But hasn't run back out as yet.
When asked when he a debt would pay
He "couldn't just exactly say."
In romance he just couldn't tell
If he loved Blanche or Isabel—
He married Jane, and, safe to say,
'Twas she who kept the wolf at bay.
And with religion, mixed he got
When asked if orthodox or not.
In politics he'd weigh and weigh,
And then not vote on 'lection day.
And so he wavered till he died
And never did one thing decide.
Now, I don't know, but it is said
He isn't now quite sure he's dead.

Take note of men who've made success;
They tell you "No" or tell you "Yes"
Right off the bat, nor step aside
When faced with questions to decide;
While men like Jones just paw the air
And never do get anywhere.
This truth shines out like bright new tin;
Think for yourself, if you would win.
—Frank R. Heine in Asheville Push.

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic

restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood. You can soon feel its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. Price 60c.

WILL OCCUPY NEW BUILDING MAY 15.

The Massie Top & Paint Company, is a practically new business in McKinney. The gentlemen of this firm, however, are well-known here and among our most interprising citizens.

The new firm is composed of T. W. (Walter) Massie, W. E. Cummings, and Commissioner Sam J. Massie.

A new brick building has just been completed on the Jocky Yard, East Louisiana Street. The concrete floor is now being put down.

In an advertisement in today's Daily Courier-Gazette this company announces that it will move into its new building about May 15th. The company makes new automobile tops, and does all kinds of painting. Read the ad.

McKINNEY PASTOR HAD FOUR SONS IN ARMY SERVICE

Dr. J. L. Pierce, pastor of the First Methodist church in this city, is in receipt of a telegram announcing the safe arrival of his son, First Lieutenant Graves Pierce, back in the States. Lieut. Pierce was in France for twelve months, a member of the cavalry. He is now at Camp Hill, Virginia. Lieut. Pierce volunteered his services to his government the day following the declaration of war on Germany by the United States.

Dr. and Mrs. Pierce had four sons in the service. They were Lieutenant Graves Pierce, Captain Lovick Pierce, Bryan Pierce and Beach Pierce. Their son Bryan, however, never got to go across as his three brothers did.

EX-SHERIFF J. H. LOVEJOY VISITS OLD COLLIN HOME

J. H. Lovejoy of Bonham came up to McKinney to "look around." Mr. Lovejoy stated that he made the first "smoke" in McKinney. He came to Texas from Arkansas in 1836 when only four years old with his parents, who settled in this community. He remained in McKinney 41 years after which time he moved to Hillsboro. He resided there 18 years, spent two years at Dallas and has lived in Houston some.

He has lived over different parts of Texas but said that he had to come back and see his old home place. He was born in Hot Springs, Arkansas, on February 3, 1832, and is 87 years of age. He has resided in Texas for 84 years. He has a nephew living in this city, J. L. Lovejoy, one of our most prominent bankers and business men.

He stated that there was indeed a great change in McKinney, the paving, flour mill, cotton mill, new business houses, theaters and churches have been added to the list of improvements. He stated that McKinney, when he first arrived here, was nothing but good pasture land, but said that there wasn't very many 10 acre pasture lots left in the county. Collin county has many advantages over other counties of the state and land that is as fertile as that in old Collin should be utilized to its fullest extent.

Mr. Lovejoy served two terms as sheriff of Collin county before the war. He is an uncle of Mrs. Edna Nale of this city and Mrs. M. C. McMahan of White's Grove.

Peptiron

A Real Iron Tonic

Combines iron with nux, celery, pepsin and other tonics, nutrients and digestives. Of wonderful help in nervous weakness and debility.

Made by C. I. HOOD CO., Lowell, Mass.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head

Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 30c.

YOUNG VINELAND FARMER.

Carl Weeks Also Breeder of Registered Hogs and Jerseys.

Our young friend, Carl Weeks, of the Vineland community, renews for the Daily Courier-Gazette for another three months. Like his brother, Jack Weeks, Carl is a hustling young farmer and livestock breeder. He has registered big Bone Poland China hogs and registered Jersey cattle, also thorough-bred poultry. Mr. Weeks and his brother own 25 or 30 acres of excellent alfalfa that is now ready to cut. It is on second bottom land which sometimes yields five and six cuttings per year.

COULD NOT COME.

Senator Ed Westbrook Cancelled McKinney Date To Go To Austin.

Senator Ed Westbrook was prevented from speaking in favor of the prohibition amendment at the court house, Saturday afternoon, as previously announced on account of the meeting of the legislature in a call session Monday morning. He had to cancel his McKinney appointment in order to arrange his affairs and reach Austin in time for the opening of the call session Monday morning. Senator Westbrook is a strong advocate of the state-wide prohibition and the woman suffrage amendment both.

PAID $500 FOR SEVEN GRADE HOGS.

Some of the finest fat hogs seen on the McKinney market in many months were recently bought on the public square by Bandy Willis, a local livestock dealer. There were seven head in the lot. One sow weighed approximately six hundred and fifty pounds and with her four pigs the five together would weigh about two thousand pounds. There was one hog in the bunch but not from the same litter. The seven head belonged to T. L. Vernon, a Collin county farmer, who lives near Merit. He received five hundred dollars cash for the seven head. This is probably the most valuable lot of grade hogs to sell on the McKinney market. They were grades of the Duroc Jersey breed, all but one, it being a black hog. McKinney is a great market town and the farmer can always get the best prices for whatever he may have if he will see McKinney's live dealers in every product from the farm.

LIFE'S GARDEN.

My dream is of a garden fair where
perfect roses bloom.
Where peonies and columbine send
forth their sweet perfume.
In fancy I can see the yard as I would
have it be
Aglow with life and loveliness, but
sorrow comes to me
For notwithstanding all the care and
labor I bestow
Among the roses day by day the
weeds contrive to grow.

I battle with the stubborn soil with
each returning Spring
New hope of conquering the tares unto the task I bring.
I have in mind a garden fair that I
shall some day own
Where only beauty shall be found and
nothing rank is known.
And yet despite my hope of joy and
all my visions fair
I find the burdock springing up and
thisties growing there.

How like a garden is my life, how different from my dreams
Of what I hope to make of it, is that
it really seems.
I pledge myself to what is best, in
fancy I behold
A work that I shall smile to see at last
when I am old.
And yet the dream is far away for in
among the deeds
That shine like roses, I can see the
tangled growth of weeds.
—Edgar A. Guest.

G. ADAMS HAVING HIS HOME IMPROVED

Greenberry Adams is having his residence on North Church street remodeled and repainted. Mr. Adams has one of the prettiest home sites on Church street, which is conceded to be one of the most attractive streets in the city. The new improvements will greatly enhance the beauty of this property.

Thanks to R. H. Wicker of Blue Ridge, Route 2, for his renewal subscription to The Weekly Democrat-Gazette.

Before washing sweaters sew up the buttonholes to keep them in shape.

M'KINNEY GIRL BECOMES BRIDE OF RETURNED OFFICER

In the Park Street Methodist church in San Antonio at high noon Saturday, April 26, Miss Leta Bell Cross was happily married to Dr. Charles L. Monk. The groom is a prominent specialist of Sweetwater, Texas, having just returned from eighteen months service at the front as a surgeon in France. The bride is the popular and accomplished young daughter of Prof. and Mrs. C. C. Cross of this city. Miss Leta was reared and partly educated in McKinney. She numbers her friends by her acquaintances. She was a successful teacher of Smithville until a year ago, at which time she resigned at teacher at that place to accept a responsible government position in San Antonio. Dr. and Mrs. Monk will be at home in Sweetwater, Texas, after May 15th.

EMINENT BARRISTER FAVORS AMENDMENT

First. The Amendment was prepared with great care so as to make it exactly suitable to the present conditions in Texas. It prohibits the manufacture, sale, barter and exchange in the State of Texas of all intoxicants except for medicinal, mechanical, scientific or sacramental purposes. In addition, it authorizes the Legislature to pass such other prohibitory laws as, in its judgment, will be necessary to protect the people against the liquor evil. It does not prevent the use of alcohol, or any of its combinations, for any legitimate purpose.

Second. The adoption of this Amendment will give us Constitutional Prohibition, and take away the power by the Legislature or vote of the people of any subdivision of the State to permit the use of liquor as a beverage, and will thus settle this question which has long agitated our people and prevented needed progress along other lines.

Third. The Amendment of the Federal Constitution is not a substitute for State action. The responsibility of protecting its own people from the liquor evil still rests upon this State, and in our dual form of Government this responsibility cannot be given over to the Nation.

Again, all the forces of the liquor traffic and all the agencies which it can control are being focused against the Federal Amendment, with the view of having it declared inoperative. While we are confident that the Amendment will be sustained, no one can predict with absolute certainty what the result will be.

Again, if the Federal Amendment is sustained it needs Congressional action to make it effective and available. Congressional action is largely influenced by popular sentiment and the results of elections. An overwhelming vote for Prohibition is necessary for the moral effect it will have upon the enforcement of such Congressional action as may be taken under the Federal Amendment.

Fourth. Texas owes it to herself to repudiate and forever condemn the activities and methods of the liquor traffic within her borders. In the elections held within late years upon this subject, as well as in the election for State and many district and county offices, the brewers and others interested in the defeat of Prohibition persistently and in many instances successfully prevented an expression of the real will of the people, or if the majority was against them they deprived the Pros of any benefit of the elections. It is essential to the political freedom of our people that this liquor interference in public elections shall be forever eliminated.

Fifth. Congressional action and the advancement of moral sentiment has not changed and cannot change the nature of the liquor traffic. It is the same breeder of moral depravity and of crime against the State that it has always been, and the self-respect of the people of Texas demands that their voice shall be raised against it by a vote so overwhelming that it will never again pollute our State by its presence nor vitiate our politics by its frauds and corruption.—Judge John C. Townes, Dean of the Law Department, University of Texas.

DENTON OFFICIALS HERE TO INSPECT CITY PAVEMENT

D. K. Allison and J. R. Atchley, newly elected commissioners of Denton, were visitors in McKinney Thursday. They came over to look over and inspect McKinney paved streets. Denton recently voted bonds and will begin paving in the near future. Mr. Allison formerly lived at Farmersville. They were shown over the city by Mayor Finch, Commissioners Barnes and Massie and City Engineer Chas. Schultz.

NINETIETH DIVISION TO START HOME IN JUNE.

Washington, May 8.—Information from the War Department to Representative Bee was to the effect that the Ninetieth Division would sail from France about June 1, and that the division would be demobilized at Camp Travis, where it was trained.

Willie Brock, formerly of this city, but who now resides on Route 4, out of Cooper, Texas, sends in his subscription to The Weekly Democrat-Gazette. Willie has been at Cooper for about eighteen months. He is farming and likes fine.

Roll Horn and wife of Oklahoma is here visiting the former's father, Eli Horn, and other relatives.

ECZEMA

Hunt's Salve, formerly called Hunt's Cure is guaranteed to stop and permanently cure that terrible itching. It is compounded for that purpose and your money will be promptly refunded without question if Hunt's Salve fails to cure Itch, Eczema, Tetter, Ring Worm or any other skin disease. 75c the box.

For sale locally by SMITH DRUG CO.

THE DECIDED ADVANTAGES

Of Doing Your Shopping at Berry-Moses Co., The Store Ahead

A great, big, busy store, yet a friendly store with "personal service" to each individual who enters our doors. A stock of merchandise second to none in the entire county and prices that mean a saving of dollars to the purchaser. These are some of the reasons why it is to your advantage to shop at THE STORE AHEAD. Immense stocks of NEW merchandise in every department. Always something special. Dull moments are unknown to shoppers at this store. We can always interest you.

Magnificent Line of Dresses At Special Prices

Our ready-made Dresses will compel the admiration of every lady. They are new, new in style and new in materials in white and colored organdies, voiles, linens, fine Ginghams, plain and beaded Georgettes, Taffeta and Taffeta and Georgette combinations, Crepe De Chine and every conceivable wash material.

You Cannot Resist The Temptation to Buy if You See Them

Every Man and Boy In Collin County

Will enjoy an inspection of our great line of summer clothing and furnishing goods. Whether for the soldier returning to civilian life or elsewise you will find your needs here. Hart, Schaffner & Marx and High Art Clothes for men who know good values. Full line new spring and summer Hats, Shirts, Underwear, Neckwear and other necessities for both man and boy.

Largest Stock of High Quality Footwear In Collin County

THE STORE AHEAD has enjoyed a tremendous shoe patronage already this season. Our immense stock of quality shoes for every member of the family enables us to fit any foot, any purse and to please any eye, no matter how critical. New black kid Pumps and Oxfords, Patent Pumps and Oxfords, Havana Brown Pumps and Oxfords, Black Satin Pumps, Bronze Kid Pumps, White Kid Pumps and Oxfords. Any of these in the Louis and military heels. You will save time and money by coming here first to select your spring and summer footwear.

Gossard Corsets and Brassiers

The corset and the brassier—two very important articles of dress for every lady. You will find Gossards to help the appearance of your new spring apparel very decidedly. A fashionable, properly fitting corset is highly essential for proper dressing.

For The Graduate---Girl or Boy

No store in McKinney offers so many practical gifts for the girl and boy graduate as you will find at this store. Just drop in and mention the fact that you are looking for a gift for a graduate and we'll help you solve the problem in a most happy manner.

BERRY-MOSES COMPANY

THE STORE AHEAD

Thursday

W. G. Thomas left this afternoon for a business trip to Chicago. He will be gone some ten days.

Mrs. Mary Strother of Anna, wife of the late Jas. H. Strother, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Pearl Strother, and family, North Bradley street.

Mrs. R. E. Moon of McAlester, Oklahoma, has been visiting her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Roach and family, on North College street for the past week.

Mrs. B. A. Fowler of Brownwood and Mrs. H. R. Robey of Hillsboro are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kerr and other relatives and friends in McKinney.

Chief Recer and wife of near Altoga are visiting at the home of his brother-in-law, Boyd Gay and wife in this city. Mr. Recer and Mrs. Gay are brother and sister. They are children of Mrs. Lela Recer of near Altoga.

W. A. Todd, who lives southeast of Princeton, and his brother, Sam A. Todd, of near Culleoka, were business visitors at our office today. Both are farmers in that section of the county. Sam A. Todd was formerly in the feed business in McKinney for several years, where he won a reputation of being an honest, obliging and courteous business man with whom the public always liked to deal.

Gracie Lee, the little two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Drake of Enloe, died at 8:30 o'clock this (Thursday) morning after an illness of only four days. The burial will take place at Wilson Chapel cemetery at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow (Friday) afternoon. Rev. Abe Enloe will conduct the funeral. The little girl is survived by her parents, and two other little sisters, also by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Drake and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Odle, all of the Enloe community.

Another light shower of rain fell in McKinney and vicinity late Wednesday afternoon, which the farmers say will be very beneficial to growing crops. Following the rain the wind changed around to the north and has been blowing from that direction since. It is very cool, especially for this season of the year. Many McKinney people lighted their gas heaters. Several men were seen on the streets with overcoats on, and the few panamas and straw sailors to be seen on the streets looked very much out of season.

Friday

John Henderson of Ozona, Texas, son-in-law of Tax Assessor and Mrs. J. K. P. Shrader, this city, who has been in the Baptist Sanitarium, Dallas, for the past ten days, is reported to be getting along splendidly.

C. C. Bryant, a good farmer and an excellent citizen of near Farmersville has been taken to the Arlington Sanitarium for treatment. Mr. Bryant formerly lived east of McKinney and around Princeton and has numerous friends in this section who hope for his early restoration to his former good health.

Monday

A. J. Commons was transacting business in Ft. Worth today.

J. T. Couch left this afternoon for Burkburnett to attend to business.

Glenn Stiff was in Dallas today attending the grand lodge meeting of the Knights of Pythias.

Cyrus Trantham of near Farmersville was a business visitor in McKinney today.

Sims Cameron went to Dallas otday to attend the Knights of Pythias grand lodge.

Sam E. Bateman of Celina was in McKinney this morning en route to Dallas to attend to business.

Dr. A. T. Bryant left this afternoon for Hillsboro, where he will attend the big Schofield Shorthorn auction sale.

John Will Farley, who lives north of Altoga was here today on business. He reports a good rain in that section Sunday.

Andy Carroll, who lives on the Sam Fox farm, a few miles west of McKinney, was a business visitor in McKinney this morning.

Former District Judge R. M. Smith of Quitman, Wood county, a prominent lawyer of that section of the state, was in the city today and visited his son, Roy M. Smith.

W. N. Nitcholas, well-known farmer of the Viney Grove community, while in the city today called at this office and subscribed for The Daily Courier-Gazette. Mr. Nitcholas reported a fine rain in that community Sunday.

J. M. Foster, Keeper of Records and Seal of Defiance Lodge No. 28, Knights of Pythias, went to Dallas today as a delegate from his lodge to the Grand Lodge, now in session in Dallas. He will remain at the lodge for several days.

Tuesday

T. A. Curtis, cashier of the Citizen State Bank of Princeton, was a business visitor in McKinney today.

County Clerk R. E. Holsonbake went to Dallas this morning to attend the Supreme Senate of the Praetorian Lodge, of which he is a member.

Rev. C. W. Dennis of Gainesville, former Presiding Elder of the Methodist church of this district, is greeting friends in McKinney. He has many friends here, who are always glad to see him.

A pretty little baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Lyman Davis, at their home, 200 South Parker street, this morning. Both the father and mother of the newly-born babe were born and reared and educated here. Mrs. Davis is a daughter of Mayor and Mrs. H. A. Finch and the proud father is a son of ex-County Judge H. L. Davis and wife. This is their first-born and both are receiving congratulations over the advent of the little miss to brighten and cheer their home. The popular chief executive of the city of McKinney, Mayor H. A. Finch and wife, are wearing the new honor of grandparents with becoming dignity.

Wednesday

Erick Dickerson of Melissa was a business visitor in McKinney today.

Mrs. Roy Smith and little daughter, Zalene, were visitors in Dallas today.

Floyd Priest was a business visitor in McKinney this morning from Chambersville.

Mrs. T. H. Emerson left this morning for Mineral Wells where she will spend several days.

Deputy Sheriff Tom Holcomb of Farmersville was in McKinney today on official business.

Mrs. W. H. Bertrand of Dallas spent the day yesterday with her mother, Mrs. Helen Bowlby.

S. L. Lanier, well-known farmer of the Roland community, was a business visitor in McKinney today.

Eugene Crouch, who has been very sick for the past several days, is not doing so well today, it is reported.

Mrs. J. B. Faulkner and daughter, Miss Lea, of Quanah, arrived today for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Perkins.

Friends and relatives gathered in the Johnson Cemetery, a few miles east of McKinney yesterday afternoon and cleaned off the lots after which graves were decorated with flowers. A great many attended from McKinney.

Jim Stiff of the Stiff Chapel community was a visitor in McKinney today. He stated that annual decoration of graves would be observed in the Stiff Chapel cemetery next Sunday afternoon, beginning about 1 o'clock. The Stiff Chapel cemetery is one of the oldest burying grounds in the county.

Mrs. J. R. Corley left this morning for Brenham, Texas, Mr. Corley is to meet her in Hempstead and accompany her the remainder of her journey. Mr. and Mrs. Corley were born and reared in Texas but for the past two years have been living in Alabama. Mr. Corley has accepted a position with one of his old professors of Textile Engineers of A. & M. College. Mrs. Corley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hearne of this city and has been visiting friends and relatives in and around McKinney for the past month.

Bought Two Denton Homes.

Rev. W. B. Byars of Josephine bought a well improved 9 acre place joining Denton, also a well improved 20 acre place one mile from Denton, last week, we together with the Russel Land Co., made the sale. List your property with us.

HIGHT LAND CO., McKinney Tex.

Frank Emerson and Fred Brannon are enjoying a few days outing at Caddo Lake, fishing and hunting.

W. H. Horn, 71, Pioneer Citizen Of County, Dies

William Henderson Horn, 71 years and 7 days old, died at his home on West Hunt street Saturday evening at 6 o'clock. Mr. Horn had been in feeble health for the past ten years, having suffered of paralysis attacks, but about ten days ago was taken ill and continued to grow worse until he was called by death at the above stated time.

Deceased was a son of the late William Henderson Horn and wife of the Vineland community, pioneer settlers of Collin county. He was born in Sumner County, Tennessee May 4, 1884, and was a small boy when his parents moved to Collin county. He had since resided in this county. He was reared in the Vineland community, and was married to Miss Susan A. Davis, also of that community. Mr. and Mrs. Horn after their marriage resided in that community for many years, where Mr. Horn engaged in farming. Mr. and Mrs. Horn moved to McKinney about fourteen years ago.

Deceased was a highly esteemed and respected citizen and leaves numerous friends and acquaintances to mourn his death.

Mr. Horn is survived by his wife and two children Tommy Horn, of Mussel Shoals, Alabama, and Mrs. Vera Neely, wife of C. D. Neely of the Vineland community. He is also survived by three brothers, Eld. R. C. Horn and Eli Horn of the Vineland community, and Gano Horn of McKinney. He was a member of the Christian church.

The funeral services were held at the family residence Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. V. W. Wallace, pastor of the First Christian church of this city. Burial was made in the Horn cemetery at Vineland. The pallbearers were chosen from among the deceased's nephew.

BUYS INTEREST IN ELECTRIC SHOE SHOP.

C. Franklin has purchased the half interest of Frank Short in the electric shoe shop on South Tennessee street operated for the past several months by Frank Short and E. H. Rose. The firm name of the new concern will be Rose & Franklin. Mr. Franklin has been engaged in the shoe repair business in McKinney for several years. Mr. Rose has been in the business since last January. Mr. Short expects to engage in the sewing machine business.

Putting In Cement Drive Ways.

Dr. S. H. Abbott and C. M. Abbott, living on West Louisiana street, are putting in cement drive ways, at their residences.

Classified Ads

LIVESTOCK.

FOR SALE—Registered Poland China sow and seven pigs. Phone 533 or see ED COUCH.

TWO REGISTERED BOARS for public service. Both Big Bone Type Poland-Chinas. One is two years old and weighs 800 pounds, fee at gate $5.00 Other is a younger one, fee at gate $2.00. C. R. MILLS, R. 3, McKinney (2 miles south of Altoga.)

FOR SERVICE—Two registered Jersey bulls; one big bone registered Duroc Jersey boar; one big bone Poland China boar, $2 at gate. Stock at the Hill & Majors barn east of H. & T. C. Depot and oil mill. HILL & FURR.

REGISTERED JERSEY BULL—For service. Season $2.00 at gate. D W. BAGWILL. 206 Murray street.

REGISTERED POLAND - CHINA BOAR—Big Bone Type (800 pound hog). Season $2.50 at gate. D. W BAGWILL, 206 S. Murray street.

REGISTERED DUROC - JERSEY BOAR—from noted Iowa breeder. Big type. Season $2.00 at gate—D. W Bagwill, 206 S. Murray Street.

FOR EXCHANGE

WANTED—To exchange Collin county property for South Texas or vice versa. Describe in your first letter. P. O. Box 221.

LIBERTY BONDS WANTED.

I BUY FOR CASH—United States Government Liberty Bonds and other securities, any amount large or small. If you desire to sell see me at Matthews Bros. Store. J. T. GODFREY.

SEEDS AND PLANTS.

EXTRA LARGE SUNFLOWER seed 10 cents package, 30 cents per pound. Pop corn 10 cents pound, all postage paid. DORA GRAYBILL, Longview, Tex.

YOUNG PEOPLE MARRIED HERE TUESDAY EVENING.

George E. Maples and Miss Josie Lambright were happily married Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Watson, South Tennessee street, the Rev. Mr. Watson, pastor of the King Memorial Baptist church, officiating. The groom has been living at Athens, Texas, but is now here working on the deep well which is being sunk by the Texas Cotton Mill Co. The Bride has resided in McKinney for several years and is a very pretty and accomplished young lady. The newly wedded couple will make their home in McKinney.

FARM LOANS

FOR QUICK SERVICE in making and renewing FARM LOANS with best options of on or before payment, lowest rate of interest, business confidential, call on or write A. M. RUSSELL, McKinney, Texas.

POULTRY.

WANTED—To buy your chickens, turkeys and old roosters. Highest prices paid for them. GEO. McKINNEY, McKinney, Texas.

SEEDS AND PLANTS.

STRONG HARDY SWEET POTATO PLANTS—Nancy Hall, Porto Rico, Pumpkin Yam, Bunch Yam, Southern Queen, Postpaid, 500-$1.75, 1000-$3.00. By express collect, 5000-$2.40, 10,000-$2.25, 20,000-$2.10; wire for special prices on larger quantities. Prompt service full count, careful pack. LIBERTY PLANT COMPANY, Crystal City, Texas.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BACK ON THE JOB—I am ready to do your renovating and build you new mattresses. I will make you a pure D staple cotton mattress, 40 lbs., for $13.50. Renovating $2.75 up. W. C. CARTER, McKinney, Texas.

SEND YOUR SHOES by parcel post to ROSE & FRANKLIN, McKinney, Texas, for repairs. All work guaranteed. Send them by parcel post and save time and trouble.

RADIATORS — Bought, sold, exchanged and repaired. Quick service. All work guaranteed. We weld castings of every description. 117 West Louisiana Street. McKINNEY WELDING CO.

WAGON HARNESS—We have a complete line of wagon and plow harness for sale. See us before buying. Remember we do the best shoe and harness repair work at right prices. THE STAR SHOE AND HARNESS SHOP.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good registered four year old jack. (Joe Bailey Jr.,) Will trade for auto truck, run-about car or town lots J. L. MAJORS, Phone 1519-8R.

WANTED.

WANTED—To buy a large amount of second-hand furniture and stoves. We will pay you the spot cash. See our line of new furniture and stoves. JOHNSON & SMITH, Phone 156, South Tennessee street.

What Are Your Eggs Worth?

or your poultry, or your cattle, or your sheep, or your hogs? Do you really know what your produce is worth or

Are you Guessing

Don't take the buyer's word for it—know for yourself. Keep the daily market quotations before you and then you will know what your produce is worth to you.

Subscribe for The Dallas Daily Times Herald, "The South's Fastest Growing Newspaper," and know the fact about market conditions each day. Correct information about the value of one hog might easily save you the price of a year's subscription.

No one needs a daily newspaper in his home more than the man on the farm. Had it not been for the Rural Free Mail Service, the Automobile, and the Daily Newspapers the farmer would still be bringing his produce in once each week and asking the buyer to take it at his own price. Today you do not have to take anyone's word for it. If you have the daily market report in your home you are as well posted as any produce man and can bring your stuff to market just when it is at its top notch.

Extra Special Offer to Farmers

In order to give each and every person living in the rural district an opportunity to keep a daily newspaper in their home the Dallas Times Herald will authorize the following extremely low rate during the month of May:

Six days a week for three months ..... $ .75
Six days a week for six months $1.50
Seven days a week for three months $1.25
Seven days a week for six months $2.50

This will put the Dallas Times Herald in reach of everyone. The Times Herald is a Newspaper in every sense of the word and YOU should have it in your home every day in the week.

The Dallas Times Herald

Ever fair and fearless, clean, concise and complete. That is why it is "The South's Fastest Growing Newspaper."

3--Copies Free--3

If you are not familiar with the **Dallas Times Herald**, a Postcard addressed to the Circulation Department will bring you a sample each day for three consecutive days absolutely free. This will enable you to know just what the paper consists of and give you an opportunity to look over the market section before spending one single penny.

CLIP OUT AND MAIL TODAY

Circulation Department, Dallas Times Herald, Dallas, Texas.

Enclosed please find $..... for which please send me The Dallas Times Herald for..... months. Seven days per week, six days per week. Be sure to specify whether you want daily and Sunday or only daily issues.

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Town .....
State .....
R. F. D. .....

Saw Service On Four Fronts

Oather M. Combest, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Combest of this city, has recently received his honorable discharge from the service and returned home. He was a member of the Thirty-fifth Division and was trained at Camp Travis, San Antonio, and Ft. Sill, Oklahoma. He was a member of the heavy Field Artillery and was in France for several months. For nearly six months he was in action on four fronts and had some thrilling experiences.

KILLED A SEVEN FOOT ALLIGATOR NEAR BEAUMONT.

Henry K. Lewis Jr., recently enjoyed the sport of killing a seven-foot alligator. He is with the construction department of the Magnolia Petroleum Co. and is at present located just west of Beaumont. He likes his work fine and is getting along splendidly. K. is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry K. Lewis of McKinney.

Breaks Arm Second Time.

J. G. Looper, farmer, living near Celina, was a business visitor in McKinney Monday afternoon. He stated that his son, Casher Looper, sustained a broken arm Sunday while cranking an automobile.

This was the second time the youth had had his arm broken while cranking a car. His arm was broken the first time on last Christmas day.

Miss Grace Cameron is visiting in Farmersville.

PHYSICIAN POINTS OUT NEED FOR CITY HOSPITAL HERE

There is no question but that McKinney needs a hospital. We all realize that many lives have been sacrificed for the lack of one and much money has been spent by McKinney's citizens elsewhere because we did not have a hospital. Then how is the best way to get one? The subscription idea or plan is an unfair one, because the burden falls upon those generous citizens who have given to everything else in the past and will continue to give, for the reason that they are anxious to give McKinney everything that is due her. Even if a hospital were built upon the subscription plan, there would be no provision for its maintenance, and we would be continually having the worry of financing it.

A county and city hospital would not carry as a voting proposition and even if it did carry, we could not expect the county to keep pace with the city of McKinney.

McKinney, is a progressive city and is going ahead rapidly and we must care for our own lives and our own sick in a clean, careful, scientific way.

The only just way and business way is to build a city hospital by the issuance of bonds and to maintain it by the city. We should vote at least $100,000 in bonds for its erection and equipment and build a hospital that will be a credit to the city. Such an institution would give to every one the best of care and everyone could be taken care of according to his or her means, at a minimum of cost.

The different churches and lodges could furnish rooms and wards and their sick or injured could be cared for there. A free ward could be maintained for those who have no means at all. The hospital should be under the control of our efficient city commissioners and ought to, within a short time, be a paying investment. But even if it should not be quite self supporting, we owe it to ourselves and to our community to have such a hospital.

BEN F. LARGENT.

PRESIDENT BOARD TRUSTEES McKINNEY JUNIOR COLLEGE

The Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette have received the following from R. A. Thompson, president of the Board of Trustees of the McKinney Junior College of the Free Methodist church which will be located in Northwest McKinney.

Dear Editors:—You requested me to write a few lines for your good paper, relative to the projected move of the school from Campbell to McKinney and I assure you that I esteem it a pleasure to do so.

In the first place, permit me to say, our success in conducting the school at Campbell during the ten years of its existence, under the very annoying condition with which we were surrounded on the account of the lack of suitable water, light and sewerage facilities, forces the entire confidence of large and very agreeable future development when located in your midst and supplied with these present day indispensables.

We do not flatter ourselves with the hope of the friendship of a better people by this move, for there probably does not exist any more excellent folks in Texas than live at Campbell. Yet from what I saw and the genial gentlemen it was my happy privilege to meet in your beautiful little city upon the recent visit of our board of trustees, I feel that we lose nothing by the change in social and intellectual surroundings. We are only doubling our pleasures on this line, in that we do not lose our old friends but gain a much appreciated number of others. I assure you and your good people that they are fortunate indeed in securing the Free Methodist College of the South, in a very far greater extent then they now suppose.

This will appear when one considers that this is the only like institution in all the Southern States and will have no denominational competition whatever, at least for many years.

I may say for your information also that though our denominational strength is not great numerically, yet no more vitally aggressive people are to be found nor one whose individual members exceed ours in the force of consistency of Christian experience and practice. Though young in years, our church is scattered throughout the United States and it is doing missionary work in most of the foreign fields, with our denominational literature diffused throughout the entire church at home and abroad. And McKinney, Texas, the home of the McKinney College, will be placed upon the map of the world and will be read of and known of everywhere. Our conferences and other gatherings will be coming to you and we assure you that our people will ever bring to you the highest type of ethics.

We expect great mutual pleasure will result from the move and we pledge you our very best efforts for the most enlarged accomplishments in the work of Christian education, and our people everywhere receive the news of the plan with enthusiastic satisfaction.

R. A. THOMPSON.
President, Board of Trustees, Dallas, Texas.

WILLIAM L. BROWN ARRIVES IN NEW YORK.

Mrs. Nannie Brown of Allen has just received a telegram from her son, William L. Brown, from New York, stating that he had made the trip back across the Atlantic safely. Mr. Brown formerly worked as a bookkeeper for the McKinney Dry Goods Co., of this city before entering the service.

Dr. R. E. Morrow of Lucas was among the business visitors in McKinney Monday afternoon.

CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

Royse City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kilman, of this place, says; "After the birth of my little girl...my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me...but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable...I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot...

I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it... I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me... for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less... I continued right on taking the Cardui until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life... I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, backache, pains in sides, or other discomforts, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so, give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial. J. 78

McKinney Boy a Guest In Alaska Senator's Home

W. H. Worthy of McKinney is in receipt of a very complimentary letter from an Alaskan legislator, E. J. White, who is speaker of the House at Junea, of the Alaskan Territorial Legislature which is now holding its fourth session. The letter was concerning the forming of the acquaintanceship of Quartermaster Ward Worthy of the American training ship, Vicksburg, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Worthy. Ward has been in the service for nearly a year and is getting along splendidly, being contented with his service with Uncle Sam. The letter from the Alaskan legislator reads:

"April 21, 1919.—Mr. W. H. Worthy, McKinney, Texas. Dear Sir: I write you from far off Alaska to congratulate you on being the father of a young man, Quartermaster Ward Worthy of the American training ship, Vicksburg, of whom we have formed a very high regard. We met him through our small boy—12 years old, who met your son at church. Ward made quite a 'hit' with Albert and the latter asked of his mother permission to invite your son to dinner at our house yesterday. We were glad to have him and it was this way that we met him.

"He is certainly a clean and manly young fellow and we predict a bright future for him. He remained some time after dinner and we enjoyed his company very much and hope to have the pleasure of seeing more of him before his ship leaves for the south this fall.

"Although I, with my family, have been in this northland for 21 years, I am a native of Ohio and spent several years in Florida after leaving college.

"Our legislature is in session here but will finish the last day of May after a 60-days' session.

"Hoping your son may return safely to you at the expiration of his services to his country, I remain,

"Very respectfully,
"E. J. WHITE."

Ward has been making good in the service as may be seen by his rank in the service. He has attained this rank in less than a year's time and his friends predict that ere his enlistment is completed he will have other honors to his credit.

MRS. C. C. MURPHY DIES AT SHERMAN: BODY SHIPPED HERE

Mrs. C. C. Murphy, formerly of McKinney, died at the family residence in Sherman Sunday morning at 4:30 o'clock, after a lingering illness of several months. Mrs. Murphy and family moved from McKinney to Sherman about four years ago. She is survived by her husband, and two children. Mrs. Tommy Hall, formerly of this city, but now of Muskogee, Oklahoma, and George Murphy, who recently returned from France.

The remains were shipped to McKinney, arriving here at 1:59 p. m. Monday. The body was received by J. P. Crouch & Company and conveyed to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hall, North Chestnut street where funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Dr. E. B. Fincher. Burial in Pecan Grove cemetery.

181 MEN POSED FOR PHOTOGRAPH SUNDAY

One hundred and eighty-one men were present in the men's department of the First Christian Sunday school Sunday and posed for a photograph, a reproduction of which will appear in the two leading publications of that brotherhood, The Standard and The Evangelist. Another feature which added to the interest in this department was a talk made by Dr. Ben Largent, who graphically recounted the more important of his experiences while a captain in the Medical Department of the American Expeditionary Forces. Dr. Largent intends to finish this narrative on another occasion in the near future.

The total attendance for the Sunday school at that church Sunday was five hundred and twenty-seven.

New Sidewalks.

Several hundred feet of cement side walks are being put down on South Tennessee street.

36th Man Gets Bold, Callenges World In Art of Top-Plugging

Pvt. Chester A. Carter of the Postal Detachment is going the challenge artists one better. He saw in The Arrow Head last week where Sergeant Butts and Private Hinkle, Co. K 142nd issued a challenge to all crack marble shooters.

"I hereby challenge any soldier in the 36th Division or A. E. F. or even any civilian in Europe, Asia, Africa or America in either top-plugging or kite-flying.—Arrow Head, official paper of the Thirty-Sixth Division.

Private Carter is a McKinney boy, and a son of John Carter of Roland. His wife and baby are residing in McKinney while their husband and father are serving old glory in France.

FAVORS CITY HOSPITAL IN M'KINNEY

J. P. Crouch when asked for his opinion of the movement to erect a city hospital here, said:

As for me I am, most certainly, in favor of a modern and thoroughly equipped hospital for McKinney. I have long realized the need of such an institution, and I am behind the movement to obtain such a hospital with every power at my command. We need a hospital such as the one proposed in order that we may care for our own sick and afflicted. We should strive to help others as we journey through this life, and I do not know of any other way in which we can lend a helping hand to our relatives, friends and loved ones that would mean more and be more appreciated, than coming to their relief in sickness, by erecting a substantial, and modernly aquipped hospital.

GABE LUCAS GOES TO MARLIN FOR HEALTH.

Col. Gabe Lucas, who has been ill at his home in McKinney for the past two months, has gone to Marlin where he hopes to regain his health. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hammock of Ennis. Mrs. Hammock is Mr. Lucas' daughter.

Real Estate Transfers.

F. M. Hill and wife to James Ramsey, lots 1, 2, 6 and 7, F. M. Hill's Second Addition to McKinney, $1350.

M. C. Powell to B. A. Crabtree, lot in Anna, $200.

Mrs. Eva Gee to B. A. Crabtree, lot in Anna, $$2100.

W. H. Callahan to R. A. Curtis 34.81 acres in the Hardin Wright survey, $7000.

T. J. Wynne and wife to R. A. Curtis, lot in Princeton, $3000.

A Shirley to S. D. Johnson, 12 acres in the W. W. Roberts survey, $1063.94.

B. E. Martin to Roy Drain, lots 7, 8 and 9, block 3, College Addition to McKinney, $375.

E. W Reed and wife to W. P. Pendergrass, lot in Plano, $850.

J. M. Pistole and wife to Add G. Wilson, east one-half of lot 1, block 12, Waddill's Addition to McKinney, $500.

B. E. Martin to Ola Reneau lot 9, block 17, College Addition to McKinney, $135.

J. B. Lokey and wife to L. B. Efird, east half of lot 1, block 25, Princeton, $400.

J. B. Hickey et al to Mrs. Callie Griffin, 50 acres in the Leonard Searcy survey, $5 and other considerations.

Texas Town Lot Company to A. M. & J. M. Dowell, lots 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, block 6, H. & T. C. R. R. Addition to McKinney, $1250.

Bought College Addition Lot.

Miss Ola Reneau of Floyd, Texas, bought a nice residence lot in College Addition this week, we assisted in making the sale. If you want to buy or sell lots in College Addition, call on us.

HIGHT LAND CO., McKinney Tex.

HOWELL E. SMITH FAVORS BUILDING CITY HOSPITAL

When seen by a representative of The Daily Courier-Gazette and The Weekly Democrat-Gazette this morning and asked what he thought of the proposed new city hospital for McKinney, Howell E. Smith, cashier of the First National Bank, had the following to say:

"I believe that McKinney and Collin county should have a hospital. We have approximately seventy thousand people in this county and no hospital facilities whatever. The need for a modern, up-to-date and fully equipped hospital is therefore very apparent. It is a need that will have to be supplied—why not now?

"We should build a good one—one that will be a credit to the city; one that we may point to with pride and that will be an enduring monument to our progressive, public spirited citizenship."

DR. W. T. HOARD RECEIVES IMPORTED HAMPSHIRE RAM

Dr. W. T. Hoard of this city has just received by express a highly bred registered Hampshiredown ram from Waukesha, Wis. He is a three year old sheep which was bought by Dr. Hoard from the Anoka Farm at Waukesha, Wis., which concern imported Lim direct from the Flower flock of Great Britain. This is perhaps the highest priced sheep ever brought into Collin county. He is not only bred in the purple but is a magnificent individual. Big head and ears, big bone and is pronounced by judges of good sheep to be about the best individual that they ever saw. Dr. Hoard will place this ram on his farm six miles northwest of McKinney which is in charge of Jesse Perkins. Dr. Hoard and Mr. Perkins recently shipped into the county 13 ewes which cost them the fancy price of $1100.00 for the 13 head. These ewes were from the famous Leet & Son flock of Hampshires of Ohio and they are rated among the best sheep in the entire country. Dr. Hoard is not only extensively interested in farming the staple crops but also is interested in all the problems of the farm that are engrossing his attention and he is helping to solve them. He practices diversification and rotation in crops and is a firm advocate of pure bred stock raising as of much more importance to the farming interest of the county than the production of ordinary scrub stock. Dr. Hoard not only has registered sheep but also has registered Short Horn cattle and some registered Jerseys. We consider that his example is along the policy that will eventually mean much more wealth and independence to the farming class of the county to a degree depending upon the extent that his example is taken up and followed by our enterprising farmers.

J. C. BASHAM, 71, DIES AT SAVOY.

J. C. Basham, aged 71 years, for many years a resident of Collin county, but who for the past several months had been living at Savoy, Fannin county, died there Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock. The remains were shipped to Melissa Saturday evening, arriving there at 8:34 o'clock and were received by the Sam J. Massie undertaker and conveyed to the home of the deceased's daughter, Mrs. Bud Craft, a few miles southeast of Melissa. Funeral services were held in the Melissa Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Mr. Fletcher. Burial followed in the Melissa cemetery. Deceased was a member of the Baptist church. The deceased formerly resided near Melissa and in the the New Hope community. He is survived by two sons and one daughter: Bryan Basham of Savoy, John Basham of Sherman and Mrs. Bud Craft of near Melissa.

REV. V. W. WALLACE WILL SPEAK FOR PRO AMENDMENT

County Chairman J. L. Franklin of the prohibition amendment campaign committee announces that Rev. Virgil W. Wallace will speak on the east side of the court house at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, May 17th in favor of the amendment. The Rev. Mr. Wallace is pastor of the First Christian church at McKinney and in addition to duties as pastor has been of great assistance during the war in liberty loan and Red Cross campaigns and drives in which work he has shown unusual ability as a leader and speaker. The Rev. Mr. Wallace is particularly interested in getting out the pro vote in Collin county. He realizes that the antis are quietly, but effectively working and he thinks that the pros should bestir themselves and also get out their full strength, especially in Collin county where the pro sentiment is overwhelming and is needed to counteract the anti strength that is sure to vote in other parts of the state.

YOUNG JACKS FOR SALE.

Or Trade—J. L. Majors Owner, Would Trade For Auto.

J. L. Majors, who lives on Byron Griffin's farm near Foote, has a classified ad in this paper offering to sell or trade a fine young four year old jack, Joe Bailey Jr. Mr. Majors has sold out his breeding barn in McKinney and gone to the farm. He has this young jack still left on his hands. Joe Bailey Jr. is a colt of Joe Bailey Sr., Mr. Majors' noted old jack that he sold for $800.00 at seven years old. He will either sell or trade this fine young jack. He will trade for an auto truck or runabout auto or for town lots. See him if interested.

Ed West of Princeton, prominent business man and merchant, is fast recovering from a recent operation in Dallas.

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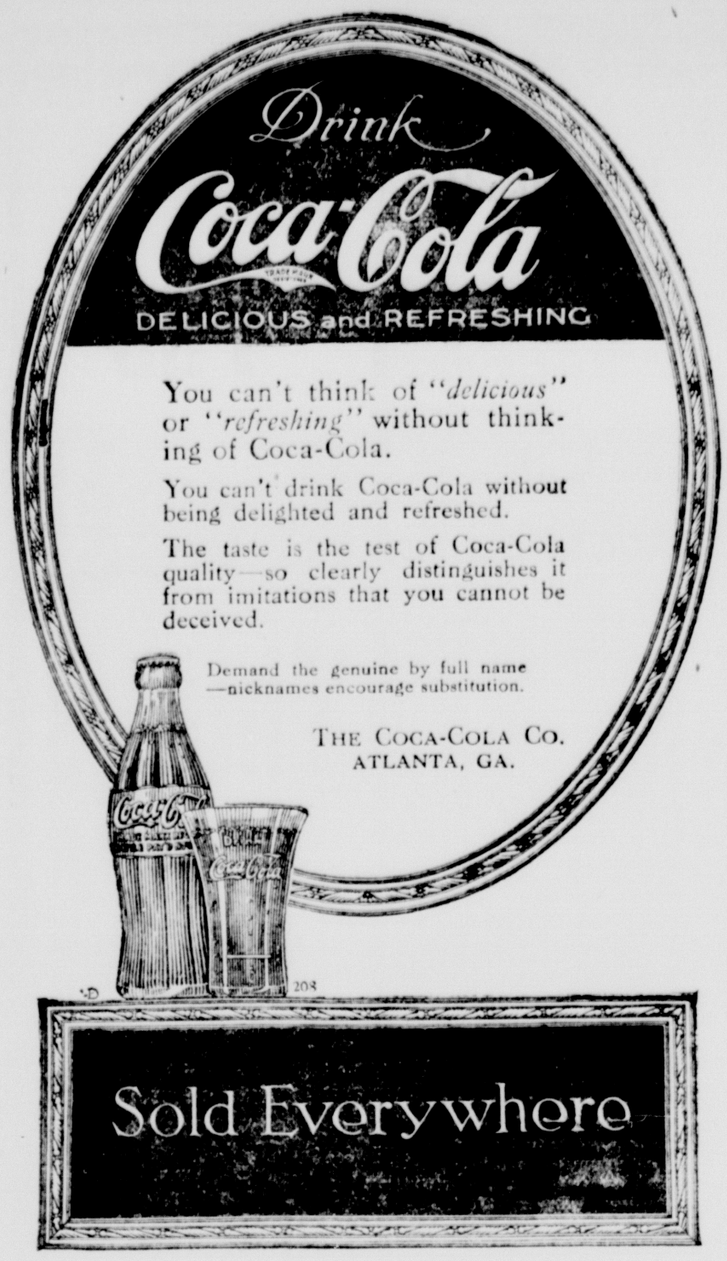
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GOES TO NEW JERSEY

Mrs. Clifton Will Be With Cousin Who Was Wounded in France.

Mrs. L. C. Clifton departed Monday for Rahway, New Jersey, where she goes to visit her cousin, Paul Nunn, of Sulphur Springs, Texas who recently arrived from overseas service with a number of other casuals. Young Nunn was severely wounded in one of his legs in a battle in the Argonne Forest. He has been operated on but will undergo another serious operation and Mrs. Clifton goes there to be with him through the ordeal.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Instantly relieves Itching Piles, and you can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.

Thanks to Mrs. Fred Owenby of Melissa for her renewal subscription to The Weekly Democrat-Gazette.

WM. W. JONES, Atty-at-Law

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Sec-Treas. Farmersville Natl. Farm Loan Ass'n. Will lend you money at 5 1-2 per cent on your farm.

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for quick service. All work guaranteed. Radiator work a specialty. Give us a trial. Phone 81. Melissa, Texas.

ATTENTION FARMERS

I can cut down your old wheels and make a low handy wagon or can get iron wheels to fit any wagon but it takes a month to get them. I have plenty of help to turn out work on short notice. Have blacksmith coal on hand. We do auto top and curtain work. We are making wagon beds.

SCOTTY THE BLACKSMITH
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BACK TO NEW YORK

Lennox Clifton Resumes Responsible Position After Honorable War Service.

Lennox Clifton, young son of Judge and Mrs. L. C. Clifton of this city, recently came home after being mustered out of the army, has gone to New York City to accept his old position as traveling salesman for the Dodge Publishing Company. Lennox served thirteen months in France with the American Expeditionary Forces. He was in the Signal Corps and saw much active service on several of the battle fronts. Before entering the army, Lennox occupied a lucrative position with the Dodge people, who seemed to be very anxious for his services again, after he had been mustered out of the army. Lennox Clifton is another McKinney boy who is making good in the world and his home town is proud of all his success in life.

A Warning—to feel tired before exertion is not laziness, it's a sign that the system lacks vitiliay, and needs the tonic effect of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Sufferers should not delay. Get rid of that tired feeling by beginning to take Hood's Sarsaparilla today.

J. M. Furr, a prominent farmer and land owner of the Rhea Mills community, spent Sunday with his family. Mr. Furr has been out in the oil fields for the past week or two looking after the drilling operations of the Furr well which is located near Burkburnett.

No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the Child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

J. J. Hardin subscribes for The Weekly Democrat-Gazette for a year. He has just recently moved back to McKinney from Kentucky where he resided for a year. Before going to Kentucky he resided in the Chambersville community.

LADIES

When irregular or delayed use Triump Pills. Safe and always dependable. Not sold at drug stores. Refuse others, save disappointment. Write for "Relief" and particulars. It's free. National Medical Institute, Milwaukee, Wis.

CHIROPRACTIC.

I never publish but one testimonial and relates entirely to myself. After trying everything under the Sun and then being pronounced incurable, I was cured in two months' time, after being on crutches over two years. That's why I recommend and urge Chiropractic adjustings to all people that are sick.

Do you know of a case that is actually incurable and cannot be benefited by Chiropractic? Throw prejudice aside, try it and note the splendid results—it has cured others, why not you?

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Would You Buy A Farm?

Some Bargains in Collin County on Easy Terms

S. WISEMAN, Morrow Blck.

SECRETARY FOX'S ACCOUNT REUNION OF VETERANS HERE

Survivors of Alexander's Regiment met with Comrade S. P. Couch in McKinney, corner Church and Virginia streets on the afternoon of May 1, 1919, where they were greeted with a warm reception by the entire Couch family, Daughters of the Confederacy and hosts of friends.

The old fellows thoroughly enjoyed the typical old Southern hospitality as well as renewing old comradeship among themselves.

After partaking of a bountiful supper the evening was spent in reminiscent talk and receiving compliments from a large number of citizens who called to pay their respects to the old Vets. After a good night's rest and a sumptuous breakfast the veterans held a business meeting, during which time the roll was called, minutes of last meeting read and approved and letters received from Comrades J. P. Loving of Sherman and J. M. Fox of McGregor expressing regret at being physically unable to be present, whereupon the following resolution:

Resolved that this Association exceedingly regrets that these two comrades and P. J. Gaskill, John Bacon and perhaps others from sickness and other causes are deprived of the pleasure of meeting with us, and assure them of continued love and comradeship.

During the session Miss Helen Fox, the junior daughter of the Regiment, read the following original poem:

"When the Vets are in McKinney
Everybody's glad,
Especially Mr. Couch and my old Dad
They leave all cares behind them
When they come marching in
And we feel it quite an honor
To entertain such men.

"There's a smile from every lady,
And a word from every man
To welcome these old soldiers to
The best town in the land.
They will agree with me on this
Without excepting any,
For this isn't the first time
The Vets were in McKinney.

May the peace league end its
Trials with never another squabble,
And the Victory loan be put over
Without a single bobble,
But other things must happen
That consist of pleasures many,
For we want to have a good time
While the Vets are in McKinney.

Now go to it, and may the time
Be well spent
By every survivor of Alexander's Regiment,
Do as you like and be sure to eat plenty,
For we don't want this to be the last time the
Vets are in McKinney."

We were treated to a profusion of flowers and music; roses pinned on each veteran by Miss Sallie B. the beautiful daughter of our host and a large wreath presented by the Daughters of the Confederacy and a beautiful talk by one of their number, Miss Mary Kimbrough, after which we were entertained by one of the old South's gifted women with a beautiful address; to-wit, Mrs. Dr. Wiley, and also by a wise and instructive talk by Dr. Booth, the pastor of the First Paptist church, who is not only a good preacher but a genuine old fashioned States rights democrat.

For music we had the very best, furnished by the Municipal Band of McKinney under the leadership of Professors Barrow and Smith, piano and violin under the skillful manipulation of Geo. T. Cobb and brother, to all of whom the old veterans are deeply grateful, as we are also to Comrade S. P. Couch and J. T. and Mrs. Couch and family and friends for the generous and splendid entertainment.

The Veterans entrained for home Saturday morning with minds and hearts filled with the pleasant remembrances of McKinney and her people.

SAM H. FOX, Secretary.

THE QUIET MIND.

I joy not in no earthly bliss,
I force not Croesus' wealth a straw,
For care, I know what it is,
I fear not Fortune's fatal law.
My mind is such as may not move,
For beauty bright nor force of love.

I wish but what I have at will,
I wander not to seek for more,
I like the plain, I climb no hill.
In greatest storms, I sit on shore
And laugh at them that toil in vain,
To get what must be lost again.

I scorn no poor, nor fear no rich;
I feel no want, nor have too much.

The court and cart I like, nor loath.
Extremes are counted worst of all;
The golden mean between them both
Doth surest sit and fears no fall.
This is my choice, for why? I find
No wealth is like the quiet mind.
—William Byrd (1588).

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS TREATED AT CARLSBAD.

The State Tuberculosis Sanitarium through its Superintendent, Dr. J. B. McKnight and its Publicity Director, R. E. Luhn, Jr., has been making a special effort to get in touch with soldiers and sailors disabled through tuberculosis. About 500 members of the military forces have received special information on tuberculosis and of this number some fifty cases have actually been treated at the Sanatorium during the past two years, and as many as seventy-five or one hundred induced to take treatment elsewhere.

At the present time there are about fifteen ex-soldiers at the Sanatorium.

Discharged soldiers are required to make formal application for entrance as are other citizens of Texas, and are not given preferential treatment, which is impossible under the State laws governing the institution.

The Red Cross sends representatives to the Sanatorium to keep these men informed as to their standing with reference to receiving compensation from the Government and on other matters pertaining to their welfare. Mr. Luhn has been of considerable assistance to a number by furnishing them with information received from the Federal Board of Vocational Education as to means of earning a livelihood, or learning a new trade, after discharge from the Sanatorium, and also helps them to fill out their compensation claims and other papers.

In only one or two instances has the service of the Sanatorium by correspondence been resented, as the public is rapidly learning that it is no disgrace to have tuberculosis, but rather a condition to be faced with courage and fortitude, and that the best policy to be pursued by one who has the disease is to obtain all available helpful information on it.

SPRING MEDICINE

Hood's Sarsaparilla Is Needed Now As Never Before—

Because, although the war is over, its work, worry and excitement have undermined your reserve strength.

Because the coughs, colds, grip and maybe severer illness, have broken down your power of resistance.

Because Winter's work and close confinement have worn-out your stomach and exhausted your blood.

Can you afford the good long rest the doctor advises?

If not, take a course of the famous old medicine,—the one that mother used to take,—Hood's Sarsaparilla. It's the finest extract of Nature's purifying, vitalizing and strength-making roots, herbs, barks and berries, such as physicians prescribe, prepared by skilful pharmacists, in condensed and economical form.

If you want the best Spring medicine you'll surely get Hood's Sarsaparilla. Hood's Pills help the liver.

YOU CAN'T FIND ANY DANDRUFF, AND HAIR STOPS COMING OUT

Save Your Hair! Make it Thick, Wavy, Glossy and Beautiful at Once

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abunlance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a small trial bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment. A small trial bottle will double the beauty of your hair.

J. M. Furr of Rhea Mills has gone to the oil fields at Burkburnett. Mr. Furr's Company, the Collin County Oil & Gas Co., had a well to come in Saturday. The drill struck the sand at about 1650 feet, and oil spouted up over the derrick. The well is being cemented, and will be brought in with in about two weeks. It promises to be one of the best wells in the big pool. Congratulations, Farmer Furr; you are a real live one.

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Habitual Constipation Cured in 14 to 21 Days

"LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN" is a specially-prepared Syrup Tonic-Laxative for Habitual Constipation. It relieves promptly but should be taken regularly for 14 to 21 days to induce regular action. It Stimulates and Regulates. Very Pleasant to Take. 60c per bottle.

Notary Public Work.

G. Adams at the Weekly Democrat-Gazette office. Legal blanks of all kinds.

APPOINTED MEMBERS ARBITRATION BOARD.

Mayor Wozencraft of Dallas has appointed the Hon. Marion S. Church and McCarty Moore members of the newly-created board of arbitration of the city of Dallas. Both are former McKinney boys, but have been residents of Dallas for several years.

KINKY HAIR

Exelento Medicine Co., Atlanta, Ga.
Gentlemen: Before I used your **Exelento Quinine Pomade** my hair was short, coarse and nappy, but now it has grown to 32 inches long, and is so soft and silky that I can do it up any way I wants to. I am sending you my picture to show you how pretty Exelento has made it. SALLIE REED.

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PRACTICES AND ADVOCATES FALL OATS SOWING

J. S. Debow, an excellent farmer of near Princeton, transacted business in McKinney Wednesday. Mr. Debow has lived on one of Alma Wilson's farms north of Princeton for seven or eight years. He bears the reputation of being an exceptionally good farmer. Mr. Debow stated to us that his wheat and oat crops are both good and quite promising at this season.

His corn and cotton are also up to a good stand and he has in eight acres of onions that are also up to a good stand and doing well.

Mr. Debow has been sowing fall oats at wheat sowing time for seven years and hasn't made a failure thus far in that time with his fall sown oats. He carefully prepares the land in the same manner that he makes ready for wheat sowing and drills them in.

He does not believe that fall sown oats will be killed oftener than one out of every ten years if sown in that manner. From practical experience, he has learned that fall sown oats afford a wonderful lot of excellent winter and early spring pasturage which not only proves to be good for stock but is also a saving in costlier feed for the farmers. Besides he has found from experience that fall sown oats make a better yield and weigh heavier than the spring sown crop as a usual thing.

Mr. Debow's standng as a successful, reliable farmer entitles his conclusions on the subject of more extensive fall oat sowing to serious consideration on the part of every black land farmer.

THE HOUSE IN THE WOODS.

The eagle, the lion, the bear and the ape,
The fox and the kangaroo;
The camel, the tiger, the deer and the goat,
The wolf and the elephant, too;
Restless and troubled and discontent
With the jungle they each possest,
Decided to meet at a house in the woods
And settle the great jungle-quest.

The bear had proposed it, the lion gave assent,
The eagle was willing to come,
The elephant nodded, as onward he plodded,
The tiger said yes, rather glum.
The fox, wily fellow, with ideas quite yellow,
Thought they better keep eyes on the bear.
"You see," said this creature, "'tis so like his nature
To eat us all up then and there."

"I find it expensive," said the bear rather pensive,
"To constantly warder my trail.
My neighbors are wily and often quite slyly,
Come down in their strength to assail;
But if each of us bargained to bend to the truce,
And none would this oath violate,
'Twould result in a happy and less often scrappy
Condition of jungle-estate."

"Agreed," said the lion, the eagle his eye on,
The unicorn scratched with his hoof;
"'Tis a very fair matter and will help us grow fatter
At peace 'neath the great jungle roof."
"Now, then, you're agreed," the bear started to plead,
"That in view of a project so fine,
At least a large part of, if not the whole heart of,
The universe ought to be mine.'

"Ahem," said the lion, still keeping his eye on
The eagle that winked in a way
To indicate slightly he thought very lightly
Of any such bearish display;
"I move that we scatter to ponder the matter—
A stone there to sharpen my claw—
'Tis very hard, brother, our natures smother,
When framing a new jungle law!"

BUSINESS VISITORS HELPED McKINNEY.

C. C. Azbell of Indiana, James C. Penn of Los Angeles, California and Fred Welpton of Dallas, have been in McKinney for some time on business. When the Victory Loan drive opened in McKinney they very generously offered their services. They entered into the work whole heartedly and accomplished much good.

Mr. Penn did not so inform the committee but it soon developed that he is a very fluent speaker. At a box supper at Foote recently he delivered an address with the result that many bonds were sold. Mr. Penn was chairman of the prohibition forces in California in the great campaign in that state. Mr. Azbell and Mr. Welpton are also very talented gentlemen. One of the captains in the McKinney drive said: "I want these gentlemen to know that McKinney appreciates their work and I would like for all McKinney people to know that these men worked hard and faithful until we went over the top."

Mr. Penn is vice president of the Metal Products Co., which has a smelter at Alpine, Texas. Mr. Azbell and Mr. Welpton are interested in the same enterprise.

McKINNEY PEOPLE GIVEN AIRPLANE FLIGHT SUNDAY.

Lieut. Haig, an aviator from Everman Field, near Ft. Worth, was in McKinney Sunday. He gave some thrilling and exciting exhibitions over the city Sunday morning in his airplane. Lieut. Haig is making such exhibitions in the interest of the Victory Loan campaign. Sunday morning while over the city he executed a number of loops, the nose dive and did many other clever stunts in the air, which attracted the attention of hundreds of McKinney people.

He made flights in the afternoon. By permission given him by the proper government authorities, he was permitted to take persons up with him in his machine. Ed Browne, well-known McKinney grain man, was one of the passengers of Lieut. Haig, while Miss Ruth McKinney, daughter of City Marshal and Mrs. John S. McKinney, also enjoyed a trip in the air with Lieut. Haig.

After flying in McKinney Sunday afternoon Lieut. Haig went to Farmersville where he gave some exhibition flights over that city. Several persons enjoyed trips in the air with the lieutenant while there. One of those going up with him at Farmersville was Chas. Kimball, manager of the Pope Theater at McKinney, and Raymond Cornes, manager of the Dreamland Theater at Farmersville.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Henry Miller and sister, Miss Myrtle, returned Sunday night from Vernon, Wilbarger county, Texas, after a week's visit with friends.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

R. L. Barnum a true blue prohibitionist from Frisco heard Mrs. Nannie Webb Curtis speak at the court house Saturday afternoon.

W. L. Yarbrough, well-known McKinney real estate dealer, is having some improvements made at his home on South Tennessee street, in the way of new fences.

Famous Health Resort Treatment at Home

Nervous and Run-Down People Can Now Obtain Relief Without Going to Health Resort.

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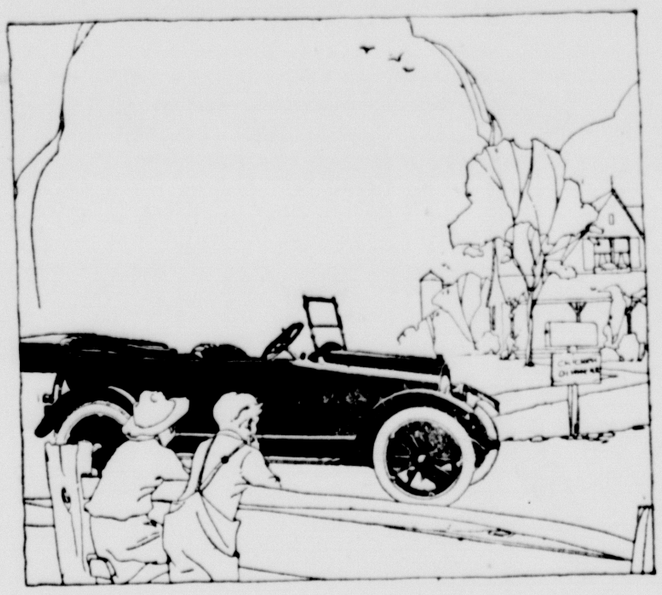

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YOUTH DROWNS AFTER SAVING LIFE OF GIRL

When Paschal Benson, young San Antonian, gave his life in order to save a young woman from drowning at Galveston Sunday he placed himself in line for a Carnegie medal for hero recognition. Young Benson was in swimming yesterday at noon with a young army officer when they were attracted by the screams of two young women. The cries of distress were followed by a shout that the girls were drowning. Young Benson was the first to reach them. He rescued the girl, only one being in imminent danger, and, swimming with her to safety, placed her in the hands of onlookers on the beach. Then, without a word, he dropped out of sight and was drowned before the crowd which had gathered realized the situation. It is supposed his efforts to save the girl had superinduced a heart attack.

George Paschal Benson was born and raised in San Antonio and came of a pioneer family. He was named for his uncle the late George Paschal, Mayor of the City of San Antonio for many years. He was educated in the public school of San Antonio and graduated from the Main Avenue High School in 1912. Later he attended the Chicago University and was a graduate of that institution in 1916. He was very active in the Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity and numbered many friends in that organization both here and in Chicago.

When war was declared by the United States young Benson, after being turned down by two draft boards because of his eyes, made repeated efforts to get in every branch of the service. It was not until August that he finally was accepted in the infantry and attached to the 165th Depot Brigade at Camp Travis. After being discharged from the army, he went to Houston to locate and was associated with the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company as a salesman. His territory included both Houston and Galveston. It was while out on a trip for the firm that he was drowned. His territory was covered by machine and he had an army friend from Houston with him when they decided to go in for a noonday swim preceding Sunday dinner.

The remains of young Benson will arrive from Houston tonight accompanied by a member of the firm as well as the uncle of the deceased, Judge Vasmer of Houston. Owing to the condition of the boy's mother, the funeral will be private and will be held from the parlors of Porter Loring at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. Services of the Methodist church, of which he was a member, will be held at the parlors. Pallbearers will be chosen from among members of the Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity. Arrangements are in the hands of Miss Mary Huppertz, cousin of deceased.

Mr. Benson is survived by his mother, Mrs. Olive S. Benson; a brother, Fred Stanley Benson, and a sister, Miss Olive V. Benson, well known pianist of Chicago, also his aunt, Mrs. Emma Paschal.

George Paschal, his boyhood friend and close associate, who is at present a medical student at Galveston, will probably accompany the remains.—San Antonio Evening News, April 28.

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Here Several Months.

George Paschal Benson lived in McKinney for several months, being employed in the office of F. F. Wiggs. He was a highly esteemed and respected young man and won many friends while he was here, who will regret to learn of his tragic death.

Mr. Benson came to McKinney from Chicago, having attended school there. He left here several months ago for San Antonio, where he lived and at which place he was born and reared.

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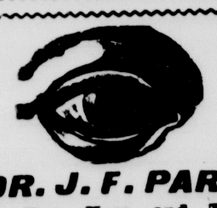

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DEATH OF INFANT SON.

Burial Made at Chambersville Sunday Afternoon.

Eldon Matlock Chambers, four months and five days old, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Chambers of the Chambersville community died at 10:10 Saturday night. Funeral services were held in the Chambersville church Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Cargyle. Burial was made in the Chambersville cemetery.

Walter B. Gant of Princeton was in McKinney Monday.

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SIX-YEAR-OLD CELINA COW HAS DROPPED 7 CALVES

M. V. Howell, of near Celina, has a rather remarkable milk cow. She is six years old and has had seven calves. At two years old she freshened, dropped a bull calf. At three years old, she dropped twin bull calves. At four years old, she dropped a heifer calf. At five years old she dropped another heifer calf and she recently freshened again at six years old, dropped twin heifer calves, making a total of seven calves that she has dropped in freshening five times. She is a high grade Jersey cow, but not registered. She is a daughter of Brilliant Scholar, the noted Walter Downs sire and champion show bull which has won state championships at the state fairs in Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana.

This cow is an excellent, rich milker and is a five gallon per day cow so her owner says. Brilliant Scholar has numerous daughters in and around McKinney that are most excellent milkers. He was undoubtedly a great sire and Mr. Downs, in keeping him did much to improve the milk cows of our county.

Mr. Howell has been offered fancy prices for this noted cow but he steadfastly refuses to set a price upon her. Two of the heifer calves of this fine cow are owned in McKinney by Mesdames Grover Hight and Roy Caldwell, two married daughters of Mr. Howell who live here. Mr. Howell made his children a present of them recently and it goes without saying that his girls prize very highly these fine young Jersey heifers given them as a present by their good father. Collin county owns some exceptionally good Jersey milk stock and M. V. Howell is doing his part to build up this reputation. Mr. Howell has owned the female ancestors of his present cow for a number of years back and has endeavored to breed them to better stuff every year which explains the reason that he now owns one of the very best milk cows in the entire county at the present time.

COLLIN FARMERS SHEARING SHEEP

A good many Collin county sheep raisers have already sheared their sheep and others are preparing to shear. Arrangements have been made for a warehouse in McKinney where all growers who wish to pool the 1919 clip may store the wool here so that the buyers can buy in quantity. In this way a better price will be obtained.

DRILLING STARTED ON HUNT COUNTY OIL WELL

Drilling is in progress on a well about one-half mile east of the end of the Cash Pike near Greenville in Hunt county. Progress is reported smoothly and it is stated that the surface indications are fine. A standard rig is being used and Brummett & Love are the drillers. The land belongs to Dr. Peak and excitement is reported tense. Oil experts assert that a great pool of oil exists in that region of Northeast Texas.

Walter Wisdom of Farmersville has returned home from overseas duty with Uncle Sam's army in France. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wisdom. He was in several battles and did his duty in helping to put the Huns out of business.

RUSSELL-SMITH WEDDING AT FARMERSVILLE

At high noon Wednesday, April 30, Miss Ruth Smith and Mr. Eugene Hamp Russell were quietly married at the First Methodist church of Dallas, with Rev. H. C. Burgin officiating.

Miss Smith was becomingly attired in a navy blue coat suit and a beautiful leghorn hat. Her corsage bouquet was pink Killarney rose buds, lily-of-the-valley and sweet peas.

Mrs. Russell lived in Knoxville, Tenn., with her mother, Mrs. Mattie McNew-Smith, a sister of Dr. J. F. McNew of Farmersville. For several years she lived here with her uncle, and was one of the most popular young ladies of her set.

Mr. Russell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Russell and is a very promising young business man. He has just received his discharge from the 133rd Field Artillery which has been home only a short time from France.

Those present at the wedding were: Dr. and Mrs. J. F. McNew, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holsonbake, Mrs. Vivian Stewart and daughter, Martha, Miss Stella Russell, Miss Mable Davis, Miss Clare Pendleton, and Mr. John F. Taylor of Farmersville; Mrs. T. G. Robinson, Mrs. Rosenburg of Dallas, all intimate friends of the bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell will spend a few days in Dallas. After May the 4th they will be at home at Farmersville, to their many friends.—Farmersville Times.

The above news item appearing in the Farmersville Times is of interest to the many friends of the groom, who is a brother of Mrs. R. L. Hight of this city and who formerly made McKinney his home, being engaged in the real estate business with his brother-in-law, R. L. Hight. His friends extend best wishes to the newly wedded couple.

Van Howard of Farmersville has received his discharge from the army and arrived home. He has been stationed for the past few months in New York.

ROAD MATERIAL FREIGHT RATE REDUCED 10C TON

H. W. Hart, local agent for the railroad administration, has received notice that the freight rates on road building materials have been reduced 10c per ton, the reduced rates to be effective from May 1 to December 31, 1919. The rate applies to all railroads under federal control. The reduction is not allowed unless the rate is as much as 40 cents per ton. The average car carries between forty and fifty tons and this will mean a saving of $4.00 or $5.00 per car load.

The reduced rates apply to all shipments of stone (broken, crushed or sand and gravel, when the materials are intended for city, county, state or federal road building or maintenance. The rate was made for the purpose of encouraging road construction.

In view of the fact that several hundred miles of road will be constructed in Collin county this year, and it is practically certain that most of the material will be shipped in, this reduction will mean quite a large saving to those districts which will build roads.

SHIPPED 144,000 EGGS TO MARKET

A. J. Commons, hustling McKinney produce man, has just made his regular shipment to the Chicago market. He shipped a car load of eggs which contained twelve thousand dozen eggs for which he paid the farmers of Collin county four thousand dollars. Mr. Commons has been shipping one car of eggs each week to the market which is a fine record. This means that he pays out to the farmers each month more than fifteen thousand dollars for eggs alone. The present price is thirty three and a third cents per dozen.

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WHEAT HARVEST TO BEGIN EARLY IN JUNE.

T. J. Hall was in from near Lucas He reported that wheat harvest would probably begin between June 1 and 10. Wheat on high or rolling land looks better than grain growing on rich, flat land, he said. The continued rains of the winter had an unfavorable effect on wheat where the land did not drain well. He said that he never saw better volunteer oats in his farming experience. However, considering the excessive rainfall of the winter, both wheat and oats are in fine condition and splendid yields of both are predicted if pre-harvest conditions are favorable.

The cotton acreage has been reduced considerably, according to Mr. Hall.

MEETS SUCCESS WITH CANNING CLUBS.

No county in Texas has more or better canning clubs than has Collin county. Miss Viola Poole, County Home Demonstration agent, who arrived in McKinney about two months ago from LaPlata, Maryland, having been sent here by the government, is an expert in this special line of work and is well pleased with the progress of her girls canning clubs in this county. Miss Poole has about sixteen of these clubs scattered over the county. She visits each club every two weeks and aside from giving lectures pertaining to the canning of fruits and vegetables, she gives lessons in sewing. The girls are all highly elated with their work. Much good will be accomplished by these canning clubs, and many cans of fruits and vegetables will be saved this year that has heretofore been wasted.

BIG WAREHOUSE UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

Heard Brothers are erecting a large warehouse just south of the Collin County Grain Co., elevator west of the H. & T. C. tracks. Jas. McEntire has the warehouse leased and will use it for storage purposes.

LOCAL OIL CO. LETS DRILLING CONTRACT

A dispatch appearing in the state papers one day recently dated at Brady McCulloch county, stated that C. E. Martin of McKinney, president of the Lucky Stone Oil Company, had just visited that place and had awarded a contract to sink a well on the company's holdings near that place. The Lucky Stone Oil Company is composed of mostly McKinney and Grayson county men. It was organized a few months ago, and the office is in McKinney. Walter L. Keen, former county clerk of Collin county, is secretary-treasurer of the company. W. H. Cleveland and T. B. Williams, former and well-known insurance men, of this city are also connected with the Lucky Stone Oil Company. The company has its offices in the Masonic building, North Kentucky street.

An Ugly Pair of Shoes

makes the entire "outfit" look bad. No man can be "well dressed" and wear poor-fitting, cheap-looking, off-brand shoes. To get long wear, comfort, style and satisfaction in footwear you should wear the FLORSHEIM, America's best men's shoe, sold in McKinney by

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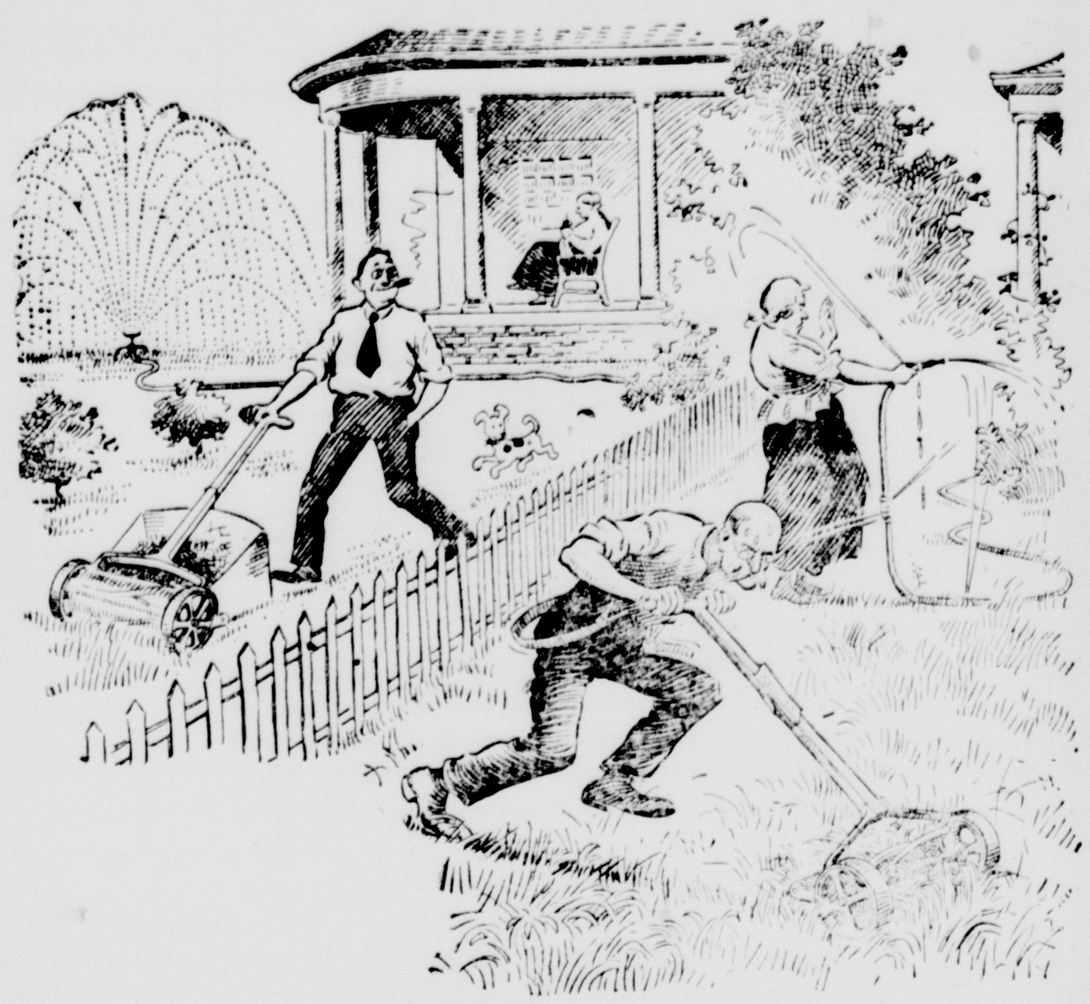
DOUBLE WEDDING THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock the Rev. J. Ben Snider officiated at a double wedding, which was solemnized in the county clerk's office. The contracting parties were Mr. Herschel Wallace and Ella Trammell, Mr. Paul Coleman and Hazel Beckman. Both couples were from Sherman and returned to that city on the 3:37 interurban, immediately after the ceremony.

Robert Glass was operated on in Dallas for appendicitis. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Glass of Farmersville.

Which Side of the Fence Are You On?



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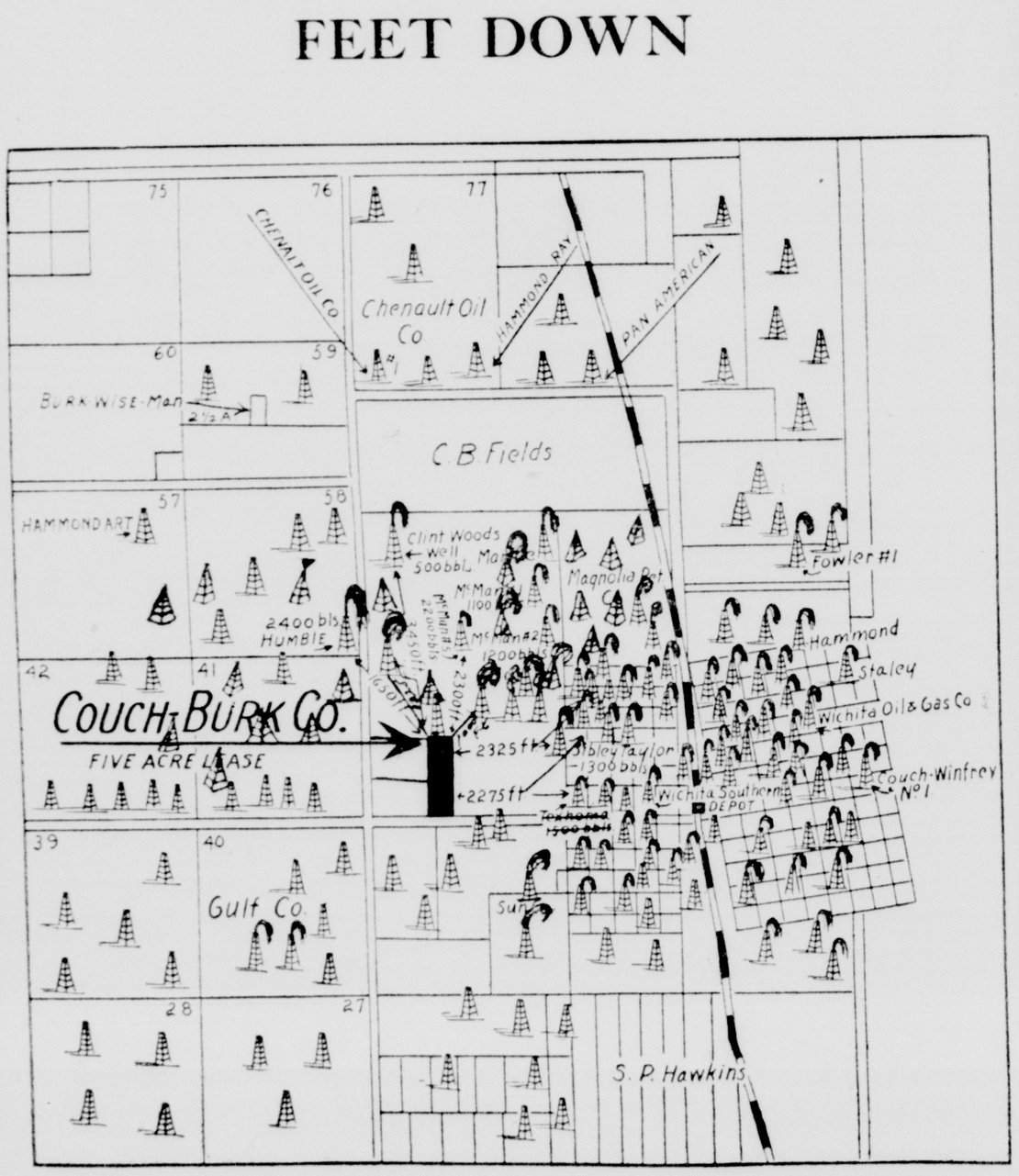

Well No. 1 on the Couch-Burk lease in the Burkburnett field is now down 600 feet or better and is still drilling. Reports of new developments are more encouraging every day and with a continuation of present progress we expect to complete the well in 2 weeks and that the stock will then be selling above par.

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101 TRIALS AND 101 CONVICTIONS.

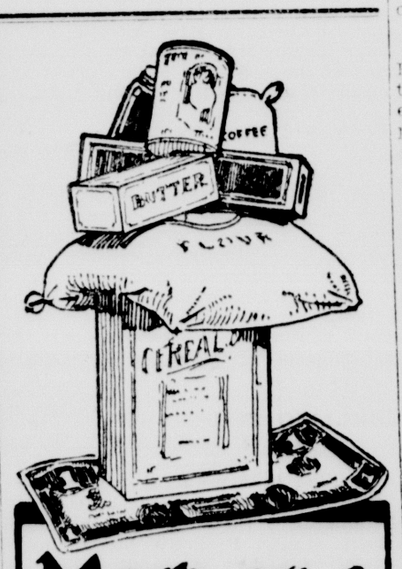
The Federal Court of the Eastern District of Texas is making some remarkable records in cases tried before that court. Recently at Beaumont, out of one hundred and one cases tried there were one hundred and one convictions secured. U. S. District Attorney R. C. Merritt of McKinney prosecuted the cases which were contested by the defendants. Mr. Merritt is in McKinney for a few days with home folks but will return to Beaumont Sunday to prosecute othe cases in the Federal Court.

One of the most famous trials was the draft cases in which six convictions were secured. It will be recalled that a state ranger was killed in an attempt to arrest alleged draft evaders. It was a hard fought case with strong pleas by attorneys.

LEAVE FOR ATLANTA, GA., TO ATTEND BAPTIST CONVENTION

Dr. A. E. Booth, pastor of the First Baptist church, and Mrs. Booth, Mrs. Sarah Howell and the Rev. G. O. Key, missionary for the Baptist churches of Collin county, left Monday morning for Atlanta, Georgia, to attend the Southern Baptist convention.

Dunn & Blake, proprietors of the Foote House Cafe, have had some screening work done on the entrance to their cafe.



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Mrs. Inez Paysinger Dies Near McKinney

Mrs. Inez Paysinger, wife of C. C. Paysinger, 38 years old, died at the family home in the Bowlby community Sunday morning at 1 o'clock. Deceased was reared in McKinney. She is survived by her husband and several children. She is also survived by her mother, two sisters and one brother: Mrs. H. Ottenhouse, Miss Christine Ottenhouse and Mrs. Dock Hill of McKinney and Will Ottenhouse of Batesville, Texas.

Funeral services were held at the family residence Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. V. W. Wallace and the Rev. W. D. Thompson. Burial was made in Pecan Grove cemetery.

EUSTACE McKINNEY ARRIVES IN NEW YORK

Giles McKinney has received a telegram from his son, Eustace McKinney notifying him of his arrival in New York from France, where he has been attached to a hospital unit of the Thirty-Sixth division for several months. Eustace recently suffered an attack of meningitis and was also severely burned in a gasoline explosion, but is recovering and will be in a United States hospital for awhile recuperating.

Mrs. Hunt Bowlby and Mrs. Grover Furr were called to Melissa Friday to attend the bedside of their mother, Mrs. Jesse Martin, who was reported ill.

Lovejoy School Closes Term.

The Lovejoy school at Forest Grove closed a very successful seven months' term Friday. A program was planned and the patrons and friends of the school were invited to take dinner on the school grounds.

Lovejoy school is one of the most modern rural schools in the county. They have a fine building, practically new, and a splendid crops of teachers. Prof. Walter Dotson is principal and his assistants are Miss Margaret Doyle and Miss Mildred Duer.

Falls County Crops Good.

W. J. Blakely has returned from a two weeks' visit to Falls county where he has property interests. He says crops there are the finest he has ever seen.

John Shine, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shine of Farmersville, has written to his parents from Germany, stating that he would sail for home on the 23rd. John is with the 90th Division.

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CANNING CLUBS TO BUY STEAM CANNERS.

A movement is on foot in nearly every community in Collin County, where Miss Viola Poole, home demonstration agent, has organized a girls canning club, to purchase a steam pressure canner. Ice cream and box suppers have been given and substantial amounts received in several of the communities, the proceeds to be applied in purchasing the canners. In some communities donations have been made to the clubs by public spirited citizens in order to assist the girls in their splendid work. These canners will be used by the young ladies of the clubs in canning vegetables raised in the school gardens and in giving community demonstrations.

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JUDGE BARRY MILLER IS NOW FOR STATE-WIDE PROHIBITION

Judge Barry Miller of Dallas, who has been an anti leader in Texas, is now supporting the state-wide prohibition amendment in the election to be held May 24. In a pro meeting held at Dallas Saturday, he said:

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Miller Says Antis Are Busy.

"This is the first time I ever tried to make a speech like this," said Judge Barry Miller, who followed Mayor Wozencraft on the program. "I have been a peculiar anti, in that I have possibly made more anti speeches than anyone else in the country without ever having taken a drink while I was making them. Theoretically, I am not quite sure but that I still adhere to the beliefs that I have always fostered. But after living in Dallas for years with the open saloon and one year without it, I shall never let a theory overturn a practical state of affairs. I used to think that prohibition would ruin Dallas. Now I am for it even if that must be the price to be paid.

"When I went to the Legislature I told my friends that if the State wanted prohibition submitted I would vote for it, because I have no use for a man who will not keep faith with the people.

"I am very anxious for the amendment to carry. But I know my old crowd; they are not going to sleep and let you put this over without a fight. You will have to get out and work. There is no doubt that on May 24 the State will go dry if the prohibitionists turn out and vote and work. But unless they do all these things they are liable to be beaten. There are men going around the State saying that they are against the saloon, but asserting that there will be no lemon extract for the pies for the picnics. This is getting more votes than you think it is. I have friends who had sold whisky who say that they would never vote to have it back again. If you men, who have always been prohibitionists, work half as well as these converts, there will be no doubt on the outcome of the election.

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Women Showed Capability.

"Prohibition and woman suffrage are linked hand to hand. I used to be against suffrage, too, but if a man doesn't change his views as he gets old he ought to die. The women at the last election showed that they were capable of handling the vote. Now, we should put this right in the Constitution and make it a substantial one. For all the work that the women of America have done in the last few years in preserving this country and in helping the men to win the war they have earned the right to vote 10,000 times over. They deserve it not only as a right, but also as an honor.

"We must look the facts in the face that thousands of women have to work in this country for a livelihood in competition with men. Let these women have a living wage. The only way that this is possible is to give them the ballot. Anything that I can do for the passage of the amendment is but a hundredth part of what I owe."

SENSATION AT PLANO IN THE LATE 70'S

From a copy of the McKinney Advocate, of Dec. 21, 1878, we clip the following item. Jos. W. Baines, now deceased, was editor of the Advocate at the time, and Clint Thompson, of the Examiner, was a type-setter in the office. The people of Plano were greatly excited, as the execution of Ballew for the murder of Golden had taken place in 1876. The item is as follows:

THE PLANO SENSATION.

Discovery of a Murdered Man in Spring Creek Bottom—Another Victim of the Midnight Assassin.

The news of a most horrible murder, but recently discovered, comes to us from our neighboring town Plano. On Sunday last as Mr. Frank Butler was out hunting horses, he stopped about 1¼ miles southwest of that place, just below the farm of Rev. Mr. Smith, in the edge of the woods for the purpose of gathering some pecans, there being a number of trees in that locality. While sitting on the ground eating the nuts which he had picked up, he was horrified and startled to look upon the corpse of a murdered man, about half covered over with earth and brush. The sudden appearance of the corpse filled his soul with horror, as is perfectly natural to do with any one, and he lost no time in getting to town and informing officers of the law, of the wonderful discovery, who at once proceeded to the spot where the man was found, and proceeded at once to investigate the case. F. J. Vance, Esq., summoned a jury of inquest, who with the assistance of other parties, at once entered upon the work of unearthing the corpse, and examining it, endeavoring to find some clue by which the poor unfortunate victim could be identified. He had been most brutally murdered. The murder was evidently committed after he had retired for the night, as everything goes to prove.

The Murdered Man.

On unearthing the corpse it was found that his head and shoulders were completely enclosed in a cotton ducking sack. Under this, wrapped around the body was a pieced lindsey quilt, on which the man was evidently sleeping when murdered. Between this was carefully stuffed to prevent the effusion of blood. The quilt and sack were bound firmly with a new seagrass rope, about ⅜ of an inch in diameter. The rope was passed around the body two or three times, and then tied firmly around his ankles. It seems from this that the object was to enable the murderers to carry their victim handily. From the appearance of every thing about the spot where the man lay, it is reasonable to suppose that he had been murdered at another place and then hauled there in a wagon and interred. Wagon tracks were discovered on the ground and the remains of a fire near by. The fire was perhaps kindled to afford a light for the midnight assassins. Upon examination of the wounds it was found that the skull was completely crushed in with the pole of an axe. It is supposed that the first blow was inflicted on the right temple, and in the agony of death he probably turned over on his face, at which time the barbarous fiends drove the axe into his back between his shoulders. His face was disfigured by repeated heavy blows, perhaps to prevent recognition in case of discovery. The body, when found, was in an advanced state of decomposition, and had probably been buried ten days or two weeks. Upon examination of the body for marks, a wen was discovered nearly under the right arm, which was about the size of a hen's egg, also a vaccine scar was found on his right arm. These were the only marks of importance on his body.

The man was about 5 feet 8 inches in height, light hair, chin whiskers about 4 inches long, and looked as if they had been dyed. He was about 30 or 40 years of age and weighed about 140 pounds.

His Clothing.

The clothing found upon his person consisted of the following articles: One heavy gray plaid overshirt, and an undershirt of light gray flannel, two pair pants. The outside pants were made of gray Kentucky jeans, and the ones which were worn for slips were made of heavy navy blue flannel. All his clothing were apparently new. Nothing was found in his pockets except a short India rubber comb. His coat, hat and shoes had been removed, which we think is very good evidence that he was sleeping when attacked by the murderers.

The Verdict.

After the examination was had, the corpse was re-interred where found, and the jury summoned, returned their verdict which was, that the man came to his death by unknown hands; dying from wounds inflicted with an axe. It is generally supposed that the party was traveling, and had camped near Rev. Jacob Routh's on Spring Creek, when he was murdered after he had gone to sleep, and conveyed to the spot where he was buried, in a wagon. This case, if worked up, which probably will be done, will be of great interest. It is a parallel case with that of young Golden and young Winters. The matter should be ferreted out and the murderers brought to justice. In case of new developments we will say more about this in the future."

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You have heard of smokeless powder, colorless iodine and tasteless quinine—now get acquainted with nausea-less calomel—the new calomel that is wholly delightful in its effect, yet retains all of the system-purifying and liver-cleansing qualities of the old-style calomel.

Your doctor will tell you that calomel is the best and only medicine for biliousness, headache, indigestion and constipation and now that it is pleasant to take everybody is taking Calotabs, the new calomel with all of the liver benefits and none of the sting.

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Weekly Health Talks

The Many Mysteries of Nature

BY L. W. BOWER, M. D.

You can take an onion seed and a pansy seed, and plant them side by side in the same spot of ground. In one case, you get an onion, with its peculiarly strong odor, and in the other you get a flower of rare beauty. You can plant a poppy seed and get opium (a dangerous, habit-forming drug), or you can plant a rhubarb seed and get something that helps constipation. No scientist, living or dead, can explain these mysteries of Nature. Behind the invisible life germ in each seed is hidden the deep secret that nobody understands. Everything growing out of the ground seems intended for some use in establishing natural conditions. Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., long since found out what is naturally best for women's diseases. He learned it all through treating thousands of cases. The result of his studies was a medicine called Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This medicine is made of vegetable growths that nature surely intended for backache, headache, weakening drains, bearing-down pains, periodical irregularities, pelvic inflammations, and for the many disorders common to women in all ages of life. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is made of lady's slipper root, black cohosh root, unicorn root, blue cohosh root and Oregon grape root. Women who take this standard remedy know that in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription they are getting a safe woman's tonic so good that druggists everywhere sell it.

Favorite Prescription should have the full confidence of every woman in America because it contains no alcohol and no narcotic. Dr. Pierce knew, when he first made this standard medicine, that whiskey and morphine are injurious, and so he has always kept them out of his remedies. Send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. for trial pkg. Tablets.

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McKINNEY TIME TABLE.

INTERURBAN TIME TABLE.

Southbound.

Local cars leave for Dallas and intermediate points 5:59 and 7:00 a. m. Local cars from Denison running through to Dallas making all stops, pass McKinney 7:59, 9:59 and 11:59 a. m., 1:59, 3:59, 5:59, 8:41 and 10:41 p. m. (Cars passing 8:41 and 10:41 p. m. run on limited time.) Car arriving 12:11 a. m. from Denison stops at McKinney.

Limited cars leave for Dallas and intermediate cities and towns 8:41 and 10:41 a. m., 12:41, 2:41, 4:41 and 6:41 p. m.

Northbound.

Local cars for Denison and intermediate points leaves McKinney 5:55 a. m. Local cars from Dallas running through to Denison making all stops, pass McKinney 7:37, 9:37 and 11:37 a. m., 1:37, 3:37, 5:37, 8:20 and 10:20 p. m. (Car passing 8:20 p. m. runs limited Dallas to McKinney. Car passing 10:20 p. m. runs on limited time. Cars arriving from Dallas 7:37 and 12:30 a. m. stop at McKinney.

Limited cars for Denison and intermediate cities and towns pass McKinney 8:20 and 10:20 a. m., 12:20, 2:20, 4:20 and 6:20 p. m.

Baggage handled on local passenger cars.

KATY TIME CARD.

Passenger (Mixed) Trains.

No. 88 arrives ..... 10:45 a. m.
No. 89 departs ..... 12:20 p. m.

H. & T. C. TIME TABLE.

Southbound.

No. 103 arrives ..... 7:30 a. m.

Northbound.

No. 104 arrives ..... 9:15 p. m.

PROSPECTS GOOD FOR BUMPER CROPS HERE.

Farmers state that prospects for bumper crops in Collin county this year, were never better at this time of year. The recent showers have been very beneficial. Wheat and oats never looked better. Corn is growing nicely, and cotton that is up is growing fine. The gardens and truck patches are as good as were ever raised in the county. Cotton chopping will soon be in progress.

For better baking results use better flour—White Billows is best.

Miss Edna Debow, a graduate of the Princeton High school, has just returned home from Dallas where she took a course in a business college. Miss Edna is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Debow, who live about two miles northeast of Princeton.

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From Blue Ribbon stock. Limited amount stock for sale. Eggs per setting: Royal mating eggs $4, Pen No. 1 eggs $3, Pen No. 2 eggs $2, Pen No. 3 eggs $1.50. See my birds.

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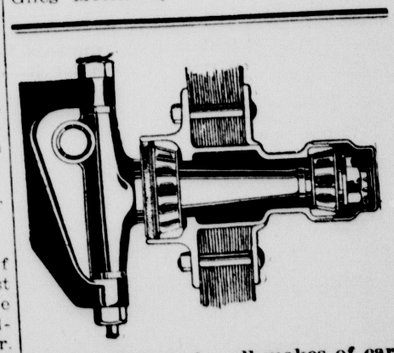
Ringlet Barred Rocks of E. B. Thompson strain. Fine cockerels from $2.50 to $5.00 each. Eggs for hatching, $2.50 for 15 at the yard, $3.50 by express or parcel post. Address McKinney, Texas, or phone 3903 Union phone.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Howell have gone to Crowell, Tex., for a several days' visit to Mrs. Howell's sister, Mrs. Tom M. Beverly.

Three bars Palm Olive soap for a quarter for the next day or so at Giles McKinney's.



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That's the Weaver Way.

Pope Theatre

Chas. Kimball, Mgr. McKinney, Texas

Starting Friday for Two Days-- MARY PICKFORD in her First Picture for "First National"--- "DADDY LONGLEGS"

Prices: 10, 20 and 30c.

NEXT MONDAY—"TARZAN OF THE APES"—return engagement.

NEXT TUESDAY—"THE ROMANCE OF TARZAN," a sequel to "Tarzan of the Apes"—return engagement.

The Tarzan pictures are the most wonderful pictures ever made. Make no engagements for next Monday and Tuesday—and see these great pictures. Positively will not be brought back again. Admission: 10 and 20c.

Charlie Snider of Lucas was a visitor in McKinney Saturday.

The First Kitchen Cabinet

was a McDougall. The McDougall is still the first in all-'round convenience and economy.

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Easy to Buy—the moderate price will surprise you. Easy to pay for—you will find our small payment plan helpful. Easy to use—the McDougall makes special instructions unnecessary. Easy to own—soon pays for itself in the saving of time, steps, energy, food, money.

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MOTHER'S DAY SERVICE AT FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

Mother's Day was appropriately observed by the Sunday school and congregation of the First Methodist church Sunday morning. Both hours were given over to this special program. The attendance was exceptionally good considering the inclemency of the weather.

The program began at 10 o'clock and lasted until 11:30. A few minutes were devoted to making out reports of the various classes of the Sunday school after which the program proper was entered into.

After a song by a large choir and a few brief remarks on Mother's Day by Superintendent Sam Neathery, the welcome was made by Misses Lea; welcome address was made by Miss Mary Virginia Burton, pretty little daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. N. A. Burton. The next, a song by the primary department, was ably rendered and greatly enjoyed. The talk by R. J. Walton was exceptionally fine and befitting for the occasion, and was well received. Features of the program was a duet by Mesdames Charles H. Newman and Arthur A. Bagwill, and a solo by Robert Brown. Hon. Wallace Hughston made a splendid talk on the theme, "A Tribute to Mothers." Mrs. W. C. Ball, in a few brief remarks appropriately gave recognition to "The Fathers." A short but able address by the pastor, Dr. J. L. Pierce, was well received. A reading by Mrs. E. L. Burton was enjoyed by the audience.

INTEREST COUPONS FOR WAR STAMPS.

Frank M. Smith, Federal District Director of the War Savings Division, calls attention to the fact that the interest on the Second Liberty Loan is due May 15, and urgently requests the reinvestment of this interest in War Savings Stamps. Postmaster N. A. Burton has these stamps on hand and will be pleased to exchange them for your interest coupons. These stamps are good investment securities.

Wilbur Kendall, just recently returned from France, visited his wife and other relatives and friends in McKinney Sunday and Sunday night. Mr. Kendall was a member of the Signal Corps, and was in France for several months. He returned to Camp Bowie Ft. Worth last Thursday, and expects to be discharged soon. His wife was formely Miss Lena Parris.

THE LOCAL MARKET

What the Farmers Are Being Paid for Their Products—Corrected to Date.

Feedstuff and Grain.

Oats per bushel	70cto 75c
Corn in shuck, per bu.	$1.25 to $1.50
Bran per cwt.	2.50
Shorts per cwt	3.25
Chops per cwt.	3.85
Wheat (government fixed prices) per bu, (basis No. 2)	$2.08
Alfalfa hay per ton	$25 to $30
Millet hay per ton	$25
Johnson grass hay per ton	$20 to $25
Prairie hay per ton	25 to $30
Bermuda hay per ton	$25

Produce and Provisions.

Bacon, per pound	37c to 65c
Butter per pound	50c
Creamery butter	60c
Chickens fryers per pound	40c
Chickens, broilers per lb.	35c
Old rosters per lb.	10c
Hens per lb	23c
Turkeys, per pound	25c
Eggs per dozen	33c
Lard per lb.	30c to 35c
Irish potatoes, per pound	4c

Live Stock.

Hogs per cwt	$15 to $19
Beef cattle per cwt	$4 to $8
Sheep per cwt	$5 to $13

Cotton.

Cotton per pound	27c to 28c
Cotton seed per ton	$50
Cotton seed meal (45 per cent protein)	$3.00
Mixed hulls and meal cotton seed per cwt.	$2.00
Hulls per ton	$20.00

ACCEPTS POSITION WITH J. P. CROUCH & CO. NO. 2

Jesse Nichols, a well-known and popular young hardware and furniture salesman of this city for the past few years, has accepted a position with the J. P. Crouch & Co., in its store No. 2, on East Louisiana street.

Prof. Hugh McLain was a visitor in McKinney Saturday from Rock Hill at which place he is teaching school. His shool will lose Friday.

G. C. Ford has returned from Eastland city where he has been for several months following his trade as carpenter in the extensive oil field improvements that are going on there.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE IN 15 STATES AND 19 FOREIGN COUNTRIES

As in the case of all other questions there are a great many theories about woman suffrage and then there are a few facts.

The following are some of the facts:

1. Women vote on equal terms with men today in one-half of the territory of the civilized world.

This includes nineteen foreign countries and the fifteen full suffrage states of the Union.

2. Wherever women are allowed to vote they use the vote as generally as men do and with, at least, as much wisdom.

3. In America all political parties have endorsed woman suffrage.

4. The political leaders of the world have declared for woman suffrage: President Wilson, ex-President Taft, Premier Lloyd George, Premier Orlando, Premier Clemenceau—all are for it.

It is clear that woman suffrage is imminent for the whole world.

Texas has the opportunity to signalize her democracy by taking this step on her own initiative and at once; we are confident that she will make the most of the opportunity.

OR YOU DEAD OR ALIVE TO YOUR OPPORTUNITIES?

READ: 328 acres near Sanger, Denton county on public roads, 10 acres cultivation, balance native and mesquite grass pasture, black and mixed soil, nice five room residence, good barn, deep well and windmill, worth $85.00 per acre, price only $65 per acre now including rents. Somebody is going to buy this place this month and make several thousand dollars within 60 to 90 days. You can make it if you have $6000 to pay cash, and will wake up and go with us and look. We are ready, aren't you? Call on us. HIGHT LAND CO., McKinney, Texas.

City Marshal Jim Vance of Plano, who was shot in the abdomen, Tuesday of last week while attempting to arrest a negro in that city, is getting along nicely. He returned to his home Sunday from Dallas where he had been in a sanitarium.

Farm for Sale—Possession.

65 acres level black land 4 miles from Tioga, Grayson county, on pike road, good improvements; price including crop and farming utensils only $125.00 per acre. $2500 cash, balance easy. HIGHT LAND CO., McKinney, Texas.

L. L. Earp, a good citizen of Weston, came around Saturday afternoon while in the city to renew for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette. We have known Mr. Earp and his good wife for many years and are proud of their long and steadfast friendship and patronage.

Masten Gay of Nevada was transacting business in McKinney Saturday afternoon.

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ANOTHER BIG WELL IS ADDED TO NEW POOL

A mile and a half west and a little to the north of the big Burk-Waggoner well in the northwest extension of the Burkburnett pool is the newest and probably the best of the new wells, that began with the Burk-Waggoner and has been repeated several times. It is the M. & P. Burk Oil Company's well on the J. B. Evans subdivision. This well was completed yesterday and is reported to be making anywhere from 1,500 to 3,000 barrels. The well is a good one whatever its production may prove to be, and it extends the new pool a long way to the west of the western most well and a bit to the north and close to Red River. The M. & P. is the fourth good well in this new pool, the others being the Burk-Waggoner, the United, the Horndon and the Golden Cycle.

The M. & P. well is reported to be producing from a sand at 1,595 feet, which is about 150 feet shallower than the other wells in this extension, that are all to the east of the M. & P. well. It has thirty feet of sand.

Two or three other wells in this vicinity are reported on top of the sand. To the west and south of the new well the Collin County Oil and Gas Company in block 52 has been swabbing some oil for several days, but has not yet been completed.

A report reached Dallas yesterday that the well of the Big Lime Oil Company in block 41, which is near the Herndon well, is spraying oil and making considerable gas.

Ernest Hankins, who lives on East Anthony street, is enjoying the many pleasures which come with a new Ford automobile ownership.

Engagement Announced.

Miss Emma C. King of this city, instructor in English in Baylor Female College in Belton entertained the members of the Faculty of that institution last Friday with an informal tea, at which time the engagement of Miss Martha C. Dowell of this city, instructor in Latin and Greek in Baylor College, to Dr. Robert King Maiden of Kansas City, Missouri, was announced. The wedding to take place June 24 in McKinney, 404 South Parker street. The engagement of Miss Dowell comes of much interest to her many friends in this city. The prospective bride is the daughter of Capt. and Mrs. J. S. Dowell, has taught in Baylor College for a number of years and has received B. A. and A. M. degrees from the University of Chicago. She has been abroad, has traveled extensively in the United States and is one of the most brilliant women in our state. Dr. Maiden is a prominent journalist of Kansas City and an ardent worker in the Baptist church. The bride-to-be, who is so admirably known in McKinney and her fiance, are extended good wishes and hearty felicitations in advance. Baylor College loves cupid but they love Miss Martha too, and her departure from Baylor College will be a great loss to this flourishing college.

Train Kills Mule.

The Katy Limited which passes through McKinney at 9:15 p. m. on the Houston & Texas Central tracks hit and killed a mule, belonging to Mr. Pigg, Saturday night just as the train was slowing down while entering the yards. The mule with other stock was grazing along the railroad right-of-way.

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